

COLDEST WEATHER OF YEAR SWEEPS COMMUNITY

TRIO OF YOUNG
OGLE ROBBERS
WAS CAPTUREDBurglary Near Sterling
Results In Apprehension

Sheriffs of three counties, Lee, Whiteside and Ogle—conferred today over almost a score of robberies during the past few weeks which terminated Sunday morning at 4 o'clock with the capture of three youthful robbers in the Thomas McCue service station, one mile west of Sterling on the Lincoln Highway, by State Highway Police Officer Frank Tyne of this city and Elmer Jacobs of the Sterling police force.

The forethought of Tom McCue in equipping his service station with an electric buzzer system, which was connected to his home across the highway, put an end to the crime wave in the three counties which continued for almost three months.

At 4 o'clock Sunday morning McCue was aroused when the alarm sounded and he immediately stepped to the telephone and called the Sterling police station. Officer Elmer Jacobs of the Sterling police force relayed the call to the State Highway Police station east of Sterling on the Lincoln Highway where Officers Tyne of this city and Blanchard of Oregon were on duty. The former responded in a car, picking up the Sterling officer and speeding to the scene of the alarm.

One Made Escape
Arriving at the station, Mr. McCue who had watched the flash-lights of the thieves in his station from his porch across the road, joined the officers as they entered the building. They found cigars, cigarettes candy and gum piled on the floor and turning on the station lights, heard the trio of robbers scurrying about in the room to the east of the station.

The officers' commands brought two of the youths to the front of the station with their hands up, while another did not heed the call, and darting out a door, made a dash across fields and escaped. The two who were captured are the names of Murray Becker, aged 17, and John Becker, 16, of Polo. They were questioned briefly by the officers and then taken to the Sterling police station. They were said to have named Charles Beck, 23, a brother of the younger member of the trio as the third member of the gang who escaped from the rear of the oil station and fled bullets as he ran along the ditch by the side of the highway until he reached his car which was parked on a side road about three blocks from the station, in which he made his escape.

Caught in Polo
With this information, State Officer Tyne summoned Officers Cushman and Blanchard of the state police and with Patrolman Jacobs of the Sterling department proceeded direct to Polo. They found Charles Beck, who had escaped, seated in his car at the home of his father-in-law, Art Reed in Old Town section of Polo. Beck was said to have been relating to his wife, his account of the capture of the two younger members of the gang when surprised by police at the McCue station.

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Blamed Cashier:
Shot Him, Self

Bridgeport, Ill., Dec. 12—(AP)—Financial losses which Charles S. Selby, school trustee and insurance agent apparently believed were caused by Laurence Osborne, cashier of the Farmers' State Bank of Bridgeport, today had been accepted by officials as the motive for Selby's shooting Osborne to death and then ending his own life.

The shooting occurred in the bank Saturday while the two men were alone. Coroner C. H. Lewis said evidence at the inquest indicated that financial losses, for which Selby apparently thought Osborne responsible, had led to the shooting.

It was brought out at the inquest Saturday that the two men had a disagreement a year ago over an insurance partnership and interest in a building and loan association at Birds, Ill.

Politician Has
Taken Up Skating

London, Dec. 12—(AP)—Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary for India, explains why he has taken up skating. One reason is that "having watched the careers of my fellow politicians, I thought it would be very useful to me if I learned how to fall without hurting myself. Another is that politics is becoming so strenuous."

Two Freeporters
Killed In Crash

Freeport, Ill., Dec. 12—(AP)—Joseph Morrell, 33, and Edward Heckelmiller, 26, were killed last night in a car crash caused by the automobile to careen off a high way and hit a tree. Kenneth M. Lee, 33, another passenger, was injured slightly.

MANY THEORIES
IN MURDER OF
BAND TEACHERChicago Police Confronted By Killing
Of Austin Man

Chicago, Dec. 12—(AP)—A half dozen different theories arose to confound the police today as they sought to learn who took Edwin O. Schildhauer, 28-year-old Austin high school bandmaster on a typical gangland ride—a ride that ended in his death with two bullets in his brain.

Stories of an infatuated school teacher, a petty politician and the latter's girl friend, were among those that entered the scope of the investigation as the police delved into the private affairs of the slain bandmaster in the hope of uncovering a motive.

Schildhauer's widow, Frances, 24, who saw two men abduct her husband three doors from his home Saturday night, told police that a woman school teacher made unwelcome advances toward her husband four years ago. She denied, however, that he had returned these attentions.

The investigators were agreed that there was no reason to suspect the infatuated teacher, but reasoned that there was a possibility that some other girl might have figured in the case, and planned to question school authorities about Schildhauer's relations with his pupils.

Neighbors told of a report that Schildhauer had interfered in an affair between an unidentified politician and the latter's unnamed girl friend, and this suggestion was explored, without success. Police in suburban Cicero—on the outskirts of which the slain bandmaster's body was dumped from an automobile—brought the name of a western gangster with the extraordinary notion that Schildhauer might have been involved in the liquor business, but nothing was uncovered in Schildhauer's life to support such a theory.

Senator Davis To
Trial January 9

New York, Dec. 12—(AP)—Retrial of United States Senator James J. Davis on federal lottery and conspiracy charges today was set for January 9.

Similar charges against the Western Union Telegraph Company and three others were set to be heard on the same day. One of cases will have to be again postponed.

Co-defendants with Senator Davis, who is Director General of the Loyal Order of Moose, are Theodore G. Miller, Bernard C. McGuire and Raymond Walsh. McGuire and Walsh also are defendants, along with M. J. Revis, in the case against the Western Union Telegraph Company which involved lottery conducted for the Mystic Shrine.

McGuire was convicted and Walsh was acquitted on similar charges last week which involved the Fraternal Order of Eagles. Conrad H. Mann, president of the Kansas City Chamber of Commerce, and Frank E. Hering, editor of the Eagles' Magazine, also were convicted in this case.

Postponement of the Moose and Mystic Shrine cases today was by agreement of counsel.

None of the defendants was in court today.

CIVIL WAR WIDOW

Tuscola, Ill., Dec. 12—(AP)—Mrs. Nancy J. Smith, 83, widow of Isaac M. Smith, a Civil War veteran, died last night. She had been ill for years. Mrs. Smith was the grandmother of Mrs. Oscar Leasing whose husband is a member of The Associated Press staff at London, England.

Potatoes were first seen by Europeans in Peru about 1531.

Christmas
Customs
For FOREIGN LANDS

In Holland, at midnight Christmas Eve, men in colorful costumes march over the streets chanting "Gloria in Excelsis" and carrying, high on a long pole, a large star lighted by several candles.

SHOPPING
DAYS UNTIL
CHRISTMASCURRENT WEEK
DECIDES FATE
OF NEEDY KIDSGoodfellows' Responses
Must Be Made During This Week

This week must decide the fate of the poor kids of Dixon, for unless the Goodfellows of the city respond to the annual Christmas appeal this week there will be no chance to make any adequate plans to provide a happy Christmas for the approximately seven hundred youngsters who will expect Santa Claus to come, but who will be doomed to pitiful disappointment unless the Goodfellows come forward now with their help.

There are two ways to give you aid. Either by cash donations to the Goodfellow Fund or by taking over as many families as you care to and providing their own Christmas for them. If you want the names of needy families, the Goodfellow Club will provide them. If you will donate cash, the Goodfellow Club will see that every cent donated goes into presents for the children of needy families. Whatever you do, do it now.

Donations Now \$151.50

Donations to the Goodfellow Fund up to this morning were as follows:	
Emil Peterson	5.00
Home Lumber & Coal Co.	25.00
A. H. Bosworth	10.00
C. A. Todd	5.00
Friend	5.00
Mrs. G. A. Van Inwegen	5.00
John J. Armstrong	10.00
Harry Edwards	10.00
Cal Tyler	5.00
Robert L. Warner	5.00
Bertram Whitcombe	5.00
Mrs. Max Rosenthal	3.00
Mrs. Dagen	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Little	25.00
Miss Carrie Rosenthal	5.00
Mrs. Hattie E. DeWage	5.00
Miss Bess P. Ellis	5.00
Miss Caroline W. Ellis	5.00
Friend	1.00
Friend	10.00
Mrs. Anna E. Ellis	5.00
Total	\$151.50

Two Dixonites
Struck By Auto

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bergstrom, 1105 Palmyra avenue, narrowly escaped serious injury Sunday evening about 9 o'clock in an unusual automobile accident on the Lincoln Highway about a block west of their home and Mr. Bergstrom is in the Dixon public hospital, suffering from concussion and body bruises. Mrs. Bergstrom was slightly bruised but was taken to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bergstrom were walking along the highway, returning home from a visit at a neighbor's home, when Earl Prince of Sterling, coming toward Dixon, turned out to pass another east bound car. As he did so, he observed the couple and applied his brakes. The slippery condition of the paving caused the wheels of his car to skid, and Mr. Bergstrom was struck by the front fender and thrown against the body, his head striking the windshield, and the force of the impact breaking the glass. As he rolled off the body of the car, he struck Mrs. Bergstrom, knocking her from her feet and both rolled into the ditch alongside the highway.

Mr. Prince, assisted by a neighbor who heard his call for help, placed Mr. Bergstrom in his car and rushed him to the hospital where he received medical attention. Reports this morning indicated that while he remained in a stupor, that his condition was very satisfactory and that he had sustained no broken bones.

Woosung Woman,
Aged 92, Is Dead

(Telegraph Special Service)
Polo, Dec. 12—Mrs. Susan Stauffer, aged 92 years, passed away this morning at 5 o'clock at her home in Woosung, where she lived with her grandson, Ferdinand Stauffer. She had been bedfast for the past month suffering with infirmities of age. Two sons, Howard of Oregon and Elmer of Sublette, survive, together with many more distant relatives and friends. The funeral arrangements had not been completed at noon today and will be announced later. Mrs. Stauffer was born in Mapleville, Washington county, Md., June 17, 1851 and had been a resident of Ogle county for many years.

Oldest Resident
Of Bureau Dead

Princeton, Ill., Dec. 12—(AP)—Mrs. P. R. Porter, 102 years and 6 months old, died at her home here Saturday. She was the oldest resident of Bureau county. She cast a vote, November 3, for C. Wayland Brooks, defeated Republican candidate for State Treasurer, whom she helped to care for as a baby. Mrs. Porter, formerly Sarah A. Seaton, was born at Louisville, Ky., June 12, 1830, and came by wagon to Bureau county when five years old. She is survived by a sister, Mrs. W. C. Otto, Chicago and four children: George R. and Kathryn Porter of Princeton; James S. of Stewart, Iowa, and O. H. Porter of Portland, Oregon.

EMBEZZLER IS
SUICIDE AFTER
ARREST IN N. Y.Had Fled Six Months
Ago From Colorado
Springs Charge

New York, Dec. 12—(AP)—A suicide's noose ended today the life of Walter C. Davis, 50-year-old president of the City Savings & Loan Association of Colorado Springs, Col., who had fled from a \$1,000,000 embezzlement charge.

Davis, seized here yesterday by a detective who had seen his picture in the "wanted" department of a detective story magazine, was found hanging in his cell in police headquarters early today.

Prolonged efforts by an inhalator crew and ambulance surgeons failed to revive him.

He had fastened his necktie to the upper part of the cell door, and his swaying form attracted the attention of a policeman as the latter made the rounds of the cell block.

Davis disappeared from Colorado Springs six months ago, about the time his association was thrown into receivership. On behalf of 7,000 residents of the Pikes Peak region who had entrusted their savings to the company, an investigation was started.

Miss Eva Terry, former secretary of the association, was taken into custody and admitted, police said, that Davis maintained her in an expensive Denver apartment for \$350 a month, a high priced motor car and diamond rings.

Miss Terry, held in jail several days, insisted she knew nothing and said that "even if I did, I would not tell on Davis."

NO RESERVATION
WITH PAYMENTS,
STIMSON WRITESFrance, Britain are Told
They Must Pay Up
Under Agreement

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Consideration of America's latest note explaining that the President and his cabinet have no authority to postpone the debt installment due on Thursday now occupies the attention of the British and French governments.

The issue has not yet reached the Parliament of either country, but it must come before the British House of Commons and the French Chamber of Deputies tomorrow or the next day, perhaps this evening.

There was a report in London that England will pay the \$95,550,000 due on the 15th with a reservation that it be credited as a capital payment, despite the clear assertion that the United States is not prepared to receive it as such.

In Paris Premier Herriot said he would not make a final decision of policy until he knew what England was going to do. It was certain the French government would follow the course of the British.

BULLETIN

Paris, Dec. 12—(AP)—Premier Herriot, blaming all Europe's debts troubles on the Hoover moratorium of 1931, told the Chamber of Deputies today that his government proposes to pay with reservations the \$20,000,000 debt installment due the United States next Thursday.

BULLETIN

London, Dec. 12—(AP)—Stanley Baldwin, acting head of the government in the absence of Prime Minister MacDonald, announced today that general debate on war debts will be held in the House of Commons on Wednesday.

He said no special legislation would be required for withdrawal of gold from the bank of England to cover the debt installment due on Thursday.

CAN'T ATTACH STRINGS

Washington, Dec. 12—(AP)—European nations cannot attach strings to war debt payments due in three days.

The United States government made that clear to Great Britain at the same time as it advised against setting up reservations, which would only increase the "difficulties that must be overcome" in attempting any new study of the debt tangle.

In a flurry of diplomatic activity that broke the usual Sunday calm of official Washington, the British government said it would pay in gold the \$95,550,000 due December 15, but that it was not to be taken as a resumption of payments on the plan existing prior to the Hoover moratorium.

Rather it proposed that this remittance be treated as a "capital payment of which account should be taken in any final settlement."

Proposals Rejected

These proposals were promptly rejected by Secretary Stimson a few hours later after hurried consultations with President Hoover and Secretary Mills.

In a note handed to Sir Ronald Lindsay, Stimson said that the Treasury had no authority to accept the payments except as provided under the funding agreement. (Continued on Page 2)

Terse Items of
News Gathered in
Dixon During Day

GIRL CAGERS PLAY
The girls basketball class will meet this evening at 7 o'clock at the high school gymnasium. All members are urged to be present as teams will be formed for out-of-town games.

HUNTERS ENTERTAINED

Lyle Prescott and Alexander Kniel entertained a group of friends with a venison dinner Saturday evening at the Blackhawk cottage near Grand Detour. The two young men returned recently from northern Wisconsin with a fine buck deer, a portion of which was served at the dinner, together with all of the accessories to make it a tempting dinner.

IN COUNTY COURT

The December term of the County Court promises to be one of the heaviest in many years judging from the docket of cases called by Judge William Leech this morning when the trial list for the term was arranged. Judge Leech has assisted that all of the cases possible be settled as early as possible with a view of clearing up the large number of cases that have collected on the December trial list.

FLOUR FOR NEEDY

Another carload of wheat flour, the second received here, arrived in Dixon over the week-end from the American Red Cross. It is designed for use among unemployed families of Lee County. The shipment consisted of 250 barrels, or 50,000 pounds. This flour was made available by a special act of Congress, which turned surplus wheat held by the Farm Board into flour.

BOWLING SCHEDULE

The schedule of games to be rolled on the Recreation alleys this week are as follows: Monday, Sterling vs. Dixon, 8 P. M.; Tuesday, Walnut Grove vs. Beter Loafers; Wednesday, Rogers Printers vs. Dixon Elks; Vaile & O'Malley vs. I. N. U. Co.; Thursday, Dixon Recreation vs. Ottawa (at Ottawa); Alveys reserved for Dixon K. C. Club. Friday, Ladies Night; Saturday, LaSalle K. C. vs. Dixon at 8 P. M.

CAMPAIGN FOR
SALVATION ARMY
GOT UNDER WAYCommittees Named to
Make Canvass: No
Quota Is Fixed

The Salvation Army campaign got under way this morning with the business and industrial division completely organized under the direction of Walter A. Mueller. Committees named to solicit employees of industrial concerns are headed by: Utilities, L. G. Adams; Wire Co., J. Frank Bennett; Shoe Factory, Mr. Jones; Borden Co., W. A. Mueller; Dixon Home Telephone Co., Louis Pichler; Schools, Supl. A. H. Lancaster; Court House, State's Attorney Edward Jones; Post Office, Postmaster John E. Moyer; City Hall, Mayor Dixon.

"In spite of the heavy load we are carrying locally the Salvation Army must receive our heartiest support," Mr. Mueller said this morning, "for their broad statewide institutional and relief program is taking a large part of the burden from the smaller cities and border towns. The need is very urgent, and we ask that everyone give liberally."

No definite quota has been set, but everyone is asked to subscribe in accordance with the need. The amount raised last year was \$817.55.

Dense Fog Delays
British Aviatix

Bengalla, Angola, Africa, Dec. 12—(AP)—Delayed about five hours by fog which forced her to turn back, Amy Johnson Mollison, who is seeking a Cape Town-London flight record, took off at 4:30 A. M. (11:30 P. M. EST Sunday) for Duala, Cameroons.

The aviatix left Mossamedes, Southwest Africa, at 10 P. M. last night, expecting to make her next stop at Duala. She passed over this town but was unable to get through fog beyond Lobito and turned back here. She was well ahead of her schedule when she left Mossamedes, her first stop after the takeoff at Cape Town early Sunday. She hoped to beat her own record time of four days, 17 hours and 19 minutes for the flight between England and Cape Town.

Mrs. Mollison set this record November 18, when she arrived in Cape Town, beating the mark established by her husband, Capt. J. A. Mollison, by more than ten hours.

DESPONDENT, SUICIDES

Kewanee, Ill., Dec. 12—(AP)—Despondent over illness, George Fegelson of Toulon killed himself with a shotgun last night. Earlier in the day he had taken poison and then asked a neighbor to call a physician.

OPPONENTS OF
REPEAL HEARD
BY COMMITTEEDozen Women, Backing
Volstead Act, Were
Given Hearing

BULLETIN

Washington, Dec. 12—(AP)—Prompt consideration of prohibition repeal legislation was assured today when Chairman Blaine called a meeting tomorrow of the Senate Judiciary sub-committee created to study the pending proposals.

Blaine lost no time in calling a meeting of the group, which was set up earlier today by the full Judiciary committee to study all repeal measures before the Senate.

He indicated the meeting tomorrow was to plan procedure and decide how the committee should go about consideration of the pending measures.

Washington, Dec. 12—(AP)—A dozen women brought to the big hearing room of the House Ways and Means committee today assertions that beer would decrease the source of taxable wealth by reducing productivity of citizens.

Led by Mrs. Henry W. Peabody, one after another women opponents of modification of the Volstead Act testified that beer was intoxicating, that even a small amount of alcohol tended to slow down the human machine and that taxes the government had lost by elimination of the liquor traffic had been paid to it in other forms of levies.

There was frequent applause by the group for each other's assertions until Representative Rainey (D. Ill.) reminded that applause was forbidden.

Mrs. D. Leigh Colvin, president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of New York, contended the election was no wet mandate, saying the dries had no chance to vote for either major party and at the same time vote dry.

She displayed a bottle of milk, children's toys and bread and said: "If the man gets his glass of beer the children will have to give up these for Christmas."

In Senate Committee

Speeding action, the Senate Judiciary committee at its first meeting of the session today referred all prohibition repeal legislation to a sub-committee headed by Senator Blaine (R. Wis.) a foe of national prohibition.

He announced the committee would get to work as soon as possible and said he did not believe hearings would be necessary.

Others appointed to the subcommittee were Senators Borah (R. Idaho), Hebert (R. E. I.), Dill (D. Wash.) and Walsh (D. Mont.).

Four of the five members of the subcommittee are in favor of submitting a repeal resolution, with Borah the only opponent.

Chairman Blaine told newspaper reporters he held the opinion that "you can't write a constitutional amendment prohibiting the sale of liquor without saying liquor can not be consumed on the premises, which will mean a worse condition than we have now."

"The question of liquor control must be left to the states."

Several repeal resolutions are before the committee, the most prominent of which is one by Senator Glass (D. Va.) and was referred to it by the Senate last week for study and a report.

This measure would include protection for dry states from adjoining territory and contain prohibition against the saloon.

Blaine is author of another resolution, which has received some study from both friends and foes of prohibition.

It would repeal the amendment, but substitute a provision preventing the shipment of liquor into dry states through allowing shipments through such states into wet territory.

The subcommittee also will study bills to loosen regulations on medicinal liquor.

Farmers Gracious
To This Attorney

Wheeling, W. Va., Dec. 12—(AP)—One error and sixty dollars made Edward McKee, Wheeling attorney, the most popular deer hunter in Pennsylvania. So say his friends, anyway.

Last year McKee, ranging the Pennsylvania woods in search of deer, plugged a calf instead. Generously, he paid the farmer \$60 for his dead bossie.

This year he went back to Pennsylvania on another hunting trip and was given the freedom of the farmlands. "Every farmer who owned any kind of a calf wanted me to hunt on his farm," he said.

Doctor's Watchdog
Should Hang Head

Bunker Hill, Ill., Dec. 12—(AP)—Dr. A. E. Fuchs' watchdog should hang his head. Three robbers removed the chain from the dog's collar and used it to bind Dr. Fuchs. Then they stole \$65 and two stethoscopes and escaped.

The water of the ocean freezes very slowly and imperfectly due to the presence of salt.

MOVES TO STOP
ECONOMY PLANS
ON IN CONGRESSLawmakers Start Battle
on Reorganization
Of Government

Washington, Dec. 12—(AP)—A resolution disapproving the whole government regrouping program submitted by President Hoover was offered today in the Senate by Senator King (D. Utah).

King explained he favored many of the moves but was strongly opposed to others.

To bring the question to issue, he proposed disapproval of the lot. His resolution went over for future consideration.

Meanwhile, other efforts were being started to block the realignments suggested by the President, on reasoning that the changes should be left to the incoming Democratic administration.

If, however, administration representatives can convince the House Expenditures committee with its Democratic majority that cash would be saved, some changes might be allowed to take effect. Unless Congress acts in 60 days, all the proposals become effective.

Speaker Garner at his press conference today said he thought Congress either "should put aside all the transfers and eliminations or let them all become effective."

"It can be changed after March 4 anyhow," he said.

"I doubt that any committee in the 60 days could study all the things in the President's program." Later, at the request of the American Federation of Labor, Representative LaGuardia (R. N. Y.) drafted two resolutions to block transfers of activities from the Employees' Compensation Commission that have been ordered by the President.

They would disapprove the proposed transfer of the commission's administration of the Longshoremen and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act to the Labor Department and also its administration of injury compensations of Federal employees to the Civil Service Commission. He will press for action.

Workers Needed
To Make Clothes

The Cotton Distribution committee of the Lee County Chapter of the American Red Cross, which has headquarters in the Warner building on First street, just east of the City National Bank, is greatly in need of volunteer workers.

Mrs. J. M. McCleary and Mrs. William Sullivan are giving full time to the work. They have thousands of yards of material to be made up into dresses, shirts, night gowns, bloomers, etc., and they have a battery of sewing machines. What they need is more women to help them sew.

A few of the women have been very faithful and have been on hand regularly. Members of some of the unemployed families, for whom these garments are intended, have been of great help. But the job is an enormous one and needs many hands. The Red Cross headquarters are open after 10 o'clock every week day except Saturday.

the Weather

DOO MUCH OF A CHRISTMAS LIST HAS SUCKED MANY A FAMILY POCKET-BOOK!



MONDAY, DEC. 12, 1932

By The Associated Press
Chicago and vicinity—Increasing cloudiness and continued cold tonight, lowest temperature near 5 above zero; snow and rising temperature Tuesday; moderate southwest to south winds.

Illinois—Unsettled, snow probable in west and south portions late tonight and Tuesday; rising temperature Tuesday and in west portion tonight.

Wisconsin—Unsettled, snow probable in northwest portion late tonight or Tuesday and in east and south portions Tuesday; colder in northeast and slightly warmer in extreme west portions tonight; rising temperature Tuesday.

Iowa—Snow probable tonight and Tuesday; rising temperature.

4 BELOW ZERO
IS RECORDED
THIS MORNINGWinter Hit West And
Midwest Surprise
Blow In Night

Dixon and vicinity experienced the coldest weather of the year 1932 this morning when wintry blasts from the north drove the mercury in the government thermometer at the Shuck & Bates store to a minimum of 4 below zero. The drop followed a period of moderate Sunday morning during which the community was blanketed under heavy snow.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Winter's advance agent clapped the face of the middle west today with a surprise zero blast. There was no official forecast.

Going to bed beneath a coverlet of snow laid Sunday, when temperatures ranged in the comfortable twenties, the middle states awoke to a stinging cold.

In Chicago the mercury dropped from a mild 22 at midnight to 24 degrees below zero at 8:15 A. M., coldest of the year and a record low for Dec. 12. It was clear, but snow was heralded for a return engagement tomorrow with some moderation of the temperature.

Bitter Cold In West

In the west, where winter has moved in for quite a visit, sub-zero temperatures, were marked down in at least 15 states. Lander, Wyo., where the plains approach the mountains, was the coldest spot on the early morning Weather Bureau map with a negative 26 degrees until North Platte, Neb., telegraphed for recognition of its 30 degrees below zero. Norfolk, Neb., recorded 25 below and Wymenueca, Nev., Pueblo, Colo., and several other cities reported 22 below.

The sudden plunge of the mercury in Iowa brought that state its coldest spell of

TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS
At A Glance

(By The Associated Press)

New York—Stocks firm; list improves slightly. Bonds steady; German loans rally.

Curb steady; utilities firm. Foreign exchange steady; sterling moves narrowly. Cotton higher; trade buying; higher cables. Sugar higher; Cuban support. Coffee quiet; trade buying.

Chicago—Wheat easy; easiness northwest markets; good rains southwest. Corn easy; increased visible stock. Disappointing cash trade. Cattle dull and lower with indications of liberal carryover. Hogs slow and steady to higher.

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Dec. 45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
May 49 1/4	49 1/4	49 1/4	48 3/4	48 3/4
July 49 3/4	49 3/4	49 3/4	48 3/4	48 3/4
CORN—				
Dec. 22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
May 27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
July 29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
OATS—				
Dec. 15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
May 17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
July 18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
RYE—				
Dec. 32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
May 34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
July 35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	34 3/4	34 3/4
BARLEY—				
Dec. no trading				
May 32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
July no trading				
LARD—				
Jan. 3.97	4.00	3.90	3.90	3.90
May 4.07	4.12	4.05	4.05	4.05
BELLIES—				
Jan. 3.70				3.70

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Dec. 12—(AP)—Wheat: No. 5 hard 46 1/2. New corn: No. 3 mixed 23 1/2; No. 4 mixed 22 1/2; No. 2 yellow 24 1/2; No. 3 yellow 23 1/2; No. 4 yellow 22 1/2; No. 3 white 23 1/2; No. 4 white 22 1/2. Old corn: No. 2 mixed 25 1/2; No. 2 yellow 25 1/2; No. 2 white 24 1/2. Oats No. 2 white 26 1/2; No. 3 white 17 1/2. Rye no trading. Barley 25 1/2. Timothy seed 2.25 to 2.50 per cwt. Clover seed 5.50 to 6.50 per cwt.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Dec. 12—(AP)—Butter 6619, steady, creamery specials (93 score) 23 1/2; extras (92) 22 1/2; extra firsts (90-91) 22 1/2; firsts (88-89) 21 1/2; seconds (86-87) 19 1/2; standards (90 cent) 22 1/2. Eggs 2110; steady; extra firsts (32; fresh graded) firsts 31; current receipts 29 1/2; refrigerator firsts 26 1/2; refrigerator extras 27 1/2. Potatoes 31, on track 130, total U. S. shipments Saturday 449, Sunday 11, supplies moderate, no trading account cold weather; market firm and nominally unchanged. Apples 1.00 to 1.40 per bu; grapefruit 3.00 to 4.00 per crate; lemons 4.00 to 5.50 per box; oranges 3.00 to 4.00 per box. Poultry, live, 18 trucks; steady; hens 10 1/2; leghorn hens 9; colored springs 10; rock springs 10 1/2; 11; roosters 8; turkeys 11 1/2; ducks 8 1/2; geese 9; leghorn chickens 8 1/2; broilers 13.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Dec. 12—(AP)—Hogs 35,000, including 15,000 direct; slow, steady to 5 above Friday; 140-170 lbs 3.15 to 3.25; 180-260 lbs 3.15 to 3.20; pigs 2.75 to 3.00; packing sows 2.35 to 2.50; smooth sorts to 2.65; light light, good and choice 140-160 lbs 3.10 to 3.25; light weight 160-200 lbs 3.10 to 3.25; medium weight 200-250 lbs 3.10 to 3.25; heavy weight 250-350 lbs 2.90 to 3.20; packing sows, medium and good 275-500 lbs 2.30 to 2.70; pigs, good and choice 100-130 lbs 2.75 to 3.25. Cattle 22,000; calves 2,000; largely long yearling and steer run; bulk grading good to choice; nothing under; and some 25 to 50 or more lower with indications of liberal carry over; light weight yearlings, heifer and mixed offerings relatively scarce, about steady; other she stock, slow steady; slaughter cattle and vealers, steady, good and choice 600-900 lbs 3.25 to 3.50; 900-1100 lbs 3.25 to 3.50; 1100-1300 lbs 3.00 to 3.25; 1300-1500 lbs 3.00 to 3.25; common and medium 600-1300 lbs 3.25 to 3.50; heifers, good and choice 550-850 lbs 3.00 to 3.25; common and medium 2.50 to 3.00; cows, good and choice 2.25 to 3.50; common and medium 1.75 to 2.25; low cutter and cutter 1.00 to 1.75; bulls (yearlings excluded) good and choice (beef) 3.00 to 4.00; cutter to medium 2.00 to 3.00; vealers (milk fed) good and choice 5.50 to 6.50; medium 4.50 to 5.50; cull and common 3.00 to 4.50; stocker and feeder cattle, steady, good and choice 500-1050 lbs 4.00 to 5.75; common and medium 2.75 to 4.00. Sheep 20,000; mostly steady; spots shade lower than last week's close; early bulk good to choice native lambs 5.50 to 6.00; few 6.10 to 6.25; some held higher; choice fed west-some bid 6.25 by shipper, lambs 90 lbs down, good and choice 5.50 to 5.75; medium 4.50 to 5.50; all weights common 3.75 to 4.50; ewes 90-150 lbs

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Wall Street

(By The Associated Press)

Chief Justice John Prystalski of Allegh 1 1/2. Am Can 54 1/2. A T & T 107 1/2. Anac 60 1/2. Atl Ref 16 1/2. Barns A 4 1/2. Bendix 41 1/2. Beth Sol 29 1/2. Borden 25 1/2. Borg Warner 8 1/2. Can Pac 13 1/2. Case 43 1/2. Cerro de Pas 6 1/2. C & N W 4 1/2. Chrysler 16 1/2. Commonwealth So 2 1/2. Con Oil 5 1/2. Curtis Wr 1 1/2. Eastman Kod 54 1/2. Fox Film A 2 1/2. Freeport Tr 25 1/2. Gen Mot 13 1/2. Gold Dust 15 1/2. Kenn C 9 1/2. Kroger Gro 16 1/2. Mont Ward 14 1/2. N Y Cent 22 1/2. Packard 2 1/2. Para Pub 2 1/2. Penney 24 1/2. Radio 5 1/2. Sears Roeb 21 1/2. Stand Oil N J 31 1/2. Studebaker 4 1/2. Tex Corp 14 1/2. Tex Pac Ld Tr 4 1/2. U S Car & Car 25 1/2. U S Corp 8 1/2. U S Steel 32 1/2.

U. S. Govt. Bonds

(By The Associated Press)

3 1/2 101 31. 1st 4 1/2 102 4. 4th 4 1/2 103 20. Treas 4 1/2 108 22. Treas 3 1/2 102 24.

Chicago Stocks

(By The Associated Press)

Borg Warner 8 1/2. Cities Service 3. Commonwealth Ind 72 1/2. Grigsby Grumov 1. Marshall Field 6 1/2. Mid West Util 1. Quaker Oats 82. Swift & Co 7 1/2. Swift Intl 15 1/2. Walgreen 14 1/2.

Local Markets

DIXON MILK PRICE

From Dec. 1 until further notice the Borden Company will pay \$1.05 per cwt. for milk testing four per cent butter fat, direct rate.

GERMANY HAS
GAINED ARMS
PARLEY AIMSAgreement Sunday
Is Said To Assure
Reich Equality

Berlin, Dec. 12—(AP)—Official circles today described as "a hundred per cent gain for Germany" the agreement reached at the Geneva five-power arms conference which gave Germany assurances of arms equality.

One spokesman, however, admitted the Reich is by no means out of the woods yet.

"Germany's aim is 'the reduction of armaments, not their increase,' he declared. 'The latter is out of the question for us, only for financial reasons.'"

On the other hand, Der Angriff, organ of Adolf Hitler, Nazi leader, denounced the agreement as "a rotten compromise."

One high official gleefully pointed out that Germany, by virtue of the coercion involving equality, possessed the means of exercising pressure at any critical moment that might arise.

The United States, Great Britain, France, Germany, and Italy Sunday signed an agreement resolving to cooperate in the disarmament conference with a view to seeking substantial arms reductions.

MORAL—DON'T GUESS

Miami, Fla.—Two men, who gave their names as Roy J. Garbett and Harry Waterfield, were arrested recently for reckless driving and guessed their way right into jail.

"I can guess what you want us for," said one of the men, and then explained that they were wanted in Washington, D. C., for embezzlement. The police were highly pleased and notified Federal officers in Washington.

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—Don't travel without first taking out one of the Evening Telegraph's insurance policies.

Miss Edith Carlson of Pine Creek was a Dixon shopper today.

Mrs. G. W. Sessler of Oregon was a Dixon visitor this morning.

Henry Ben Ward of Mt. Vernon, Ill., son-in-law of Gov. L. L. Emerson, was a week-end visitor at the Dixon state hospital.

Joseph L. Little continues to be very ill.

Ralph Dean of Ashton was a Dixon visitor today.

—The thrifty housewife will not pass up the grocery ads in today's paper.

Ralph Thomas of Sterling was a business visitor here today.

Heavy snows in the west caused the delay of all through east-bound NorthWestern passenger trains Saturday, to three hours.

NorthWestern employees of Dixon will go to Sterling tomorrow evening.

LOST—Brown belt of triple sheer material with brown buckle, somewhere between Nachusa Tavern and Bluff Park, Sunday. Finder please phone L812.

Tom Mitchell and Miss Genevieve Lally motored to Sterling yesterday afternoon and visited with friends.

George Papadakis, who has been seriously ill for ten days, was taken to the hospital today for treatment.

Freeman Ankeny of Sterling transacted business in Dixon Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sykes and children visited friends and relatives in Chicago over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schwank motored to Oglesby and Earlville Sunday and visited with relatives.

Deputy Sheriff Bert Byam of Sterling was a business caller in Dixon Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fallstrom and daughter visited Sunday afternoon in Sterling.

Mrs. George Lightner and son Alford of Rockford visited with Dixon relatives Sunday afternoon.

Ray Fred returned home yesterday from Booneville, Mo., where he is employed, for a visit of two weeks.

Frank Vaughan of Amboy was a business caller in Dixon this morning.

Sheriff Fred Richardson transacted business in Sterling Sunday afternoon.

Wilbur Cushman of Sterling was a visitor in Dixon last evening.

Mrs. Maude Cliverton, who has been very ill for some time, is gradually recovering her strength since her return from the hospital at Bloomington where she submitted to a serious operation.

BIRTHS

HUGGINS—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Huggins at the Dixon hospital this morning, a daughter.

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EXTENSION PAY
REDUCTION IS
RAILWAYS' PLEAProposal Submitted To
Brotherhoods In
Chicago Parley

Chicago, Dec. 12—(AP)—Employees of the nation's railroads proposed to the brotherhoods of employees today that the ten per cent deduction in pay be extended indefinitely past next January 31 when the agreement of the past year is due to expire.

The suggestion came from W. F. Thielehoff, spokesman for the management, at the start of their joint conference with heads of 21 shop crafts. It caused a recess less than one hour after it had convened.

Labor's representatives at once began debate on the proposal. They were to deliver their answer to the roads at 2:30 P. M.

The proposal of the carriers would allow either side to terminate the agreement within 30 days by filing notice that it wished to proceed under the Railway Labor Act with appointment of mediators.

HEARING COMPLETED
New York, Dec. 12—(AP)—The National Transportation Committee is through now with its heavily concentrated three-day session, devoted to hearing the viewpoints of every major transportation division—rail, highway, water and air—but by far its heaviest task lies ahead.

The commission will seek to assimilate in a few short weeks the fruits of Interstate Commerce Commission experience gleaned over a period of years. It then will endeavor to weave a pattern of harmony out of a mass of facts and opinions, many in violent conflict.

Calvin Coolidge, chairman of the committee, indicated that no further hearings would be held, unless railroad labor should desire to present its case. He said the committee would make no effort to rush its report.

One railroad economist whose views have commanded the attention of both governmental and Wall Street students of the transportation industry, said the hearings were the most successful of their kind he ever attended.

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The American reply brought immediate expressions of approval from leaders in Congress which alone can change the agreements and which has shown no inclination to do so.

"Whatever the future has in store in the way of a conference," said Chairman Borah of the Senate Foreign Relations committee, "Stimson couldn't change the terms of this payment."

Stimson restated that the American government and people attached "great importance" to the maintenance of the original agreements and that if the British and other nations would bring their obligations to a more favorable atmosphere for re-examination of the debt question, as many have requested, would be created.

Most of those in Congress who commented yesterday repeated their conviction that Europe should pay as provided or default. Generally the expectation was held that most of the foreign debtors would comply. Nearly \$124,000,000 is due Thursday.

MAY IGNORE WARNING
London, Dec. 12—(AP)—Despite the American government's warning against such a procedure, it was predicted in well-informed quarters today that Britain will pay its war debt installment to the United States Thursday with a reservation that it be credited on the capital account.

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after the cabinet meeting by Mr. McDonald.

FRANCE IS WATCHING

Paris, Dec. 12—(AP)—Premier Herriot announced today after a cabinet meeting that France will wait and see what England does before stipulating her own reservations in the payment of \$20,000,000 due the United States on Thursday.

The government at London, he said, already is considering its position in the light of the latest American note and inasmuch as France and England have been working together closely on this whole matter, France will await the British decision before making her own.

This afternoon he planned to make a general statement on the debt issue in the Chamber of Deputies, explaining why this government cannot do anything definite about putting its reservations into final form without first learning the British attitude.

Face New Situation
It appeared that M. Herriot and Prime Minister MacDonald of Great Britain had thought that the debt problem had been temporarily adjusted by England's last note, and M. Herriot hoped to have the French Parliament duplicate that memorandum. The phraseology of the American reply, however, seemed to have precipitated a new situation.

After the statement in the Chamber, the Premier planned to ask a recess so that he might appear before a joint session of the Finance and Foreign Affairs committee.

It was reported that Ambassador Claudel in Washington had advised him that there is no hope that the United States will accept beforehand a request for an international conference to settle the debt problem.

SECURITY BENEFIT ASSOCIATION
The Security Benefit Association will meet Wednesday evening with Mrs. Arthur Penny, 902 Fourth street. A good attendance is desired.

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The Social Calendar

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Peoria Avenue Reading Club—Mrs. C. B. Morrison, 122 Dement Avenue.
Y. P. M. C.—Grace church.

Friday
Junior Dept. St. Paul's S. S.—At the church.
Circle No. 1, M. E. Aid—Mrs. A. E. Marth, 421 Ottawa Ave.
W. R. C.—G. A. R. Hall.
Episkion Sigma Alpha Sorority—Miss Frances Patrick, 314 Peoria Avenue.
Corinthian S. S. Class—M. E. Church.

Tuesday
Palmyra Farm Bureau Community Club—Sugar Grove Church.
Phidian Art Club—Miss Clara Armstrong, 717 Hennepin avenue.
Practical Club—Mrs. Lester Street, 520 N. Jefferson avenue.
Nurses Alumni Association—Mrs. A. C. Dollmeyer, 311 No. Hennepin Ave.
W. H. & P. M. S.—At Grace Church.
Annual Dinner Men's Club—M. E. Church.
Sijernan Club—Mrs. Arthur McCrystal, 412 E. First St.

Wednesday
Security Benefit Association—Arthur Penny, 902 Fourth Street.
Ideal Club—Mrs. Jacob Wahnke, 225 Lincoln Way.
Prairieville Social Circle—Mrs. Fred Brauer.
American Legion Auxiliary—Lecion Hall.
Wawokive Club—Mrs. Edward Johnson, Nachusa.

Saturday
Dixon Post, No. 299—G. A. R. hall.
Primary Dept.—St. Paul's church.
Triangle Club—Candlelight Service.

Friday, Dec. 16
Golden Rule S. S. Class—Christmas Party, St. Paul's Lutheran Church.
Palmyra Mutual Aid Society—Mrs. Frank Beede and Mrs. Arthur Dodd, at the Beede home.

(Call Mrs. E. E. Holdridge at No. 5, for Society items.)

What lieh in thy power and God will assist thy good will. Trust not in the skill of any living creature but rather in the grace of God, who helpeth the poor and humble.
—Thomas A. Kempis.

W. R. C. to Observe Fortieth Anniversary of Organization Wed
Dixon Woman's Relief Corps, No. 218. Auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic, will observe the 40th anniversary of its organization, Wednesday, Dec. 14th, with a picnic dinner at the noon hour, to which the comrades and wives and all Corps members are invited.

The Comdare and wives, charter members and past presidents will be guests of honor.
After the dinner the following program will be given:
Song, "Welcome"—Corps members.
Song, "Get Acquainted"—Corps members.
Invocation—
Ceremony of lighting the Birth-day Cake—Mrs. Alice Anderson, Mrs. Daisy Bremer and Mrs. Mabel Ortigiesen.
Toast, "Our Charter Members"—Mrs. Stackpole.
Toast, "Our Past Presidents"—LeFenne Helms.
Song—Corps members.
Musical numbers—by Christian Church orchestra.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Rosanne Deutsch.
Poem, "Our Past Presidents"—Mrs. McKenney. (This poem was composed for this occasion by Mrs. Lydia Parks.)
Cornet solo—Eugene Lebre.
Reading—Mrs. Bess Stewart.
Musical Numbers—Christian Church orchestra.
Vocal solo—Eugene Lebre.
"America"—Audience.
Members desiring information in regard to the menu or transportation call the chairman, Mrs. Richardson, telephone R620 or Mrs. Jones X823.

Beckenbaughs Have Silver Wedding Anniversary Dinner Friday
Polo, Ill., Dec. 12—Mr. and Mrs. Preston Beckenbaugh were guests of honor at a surprise dinner Friday night at their farm home three miles northwest of Polo. Twenty-five guests attended the dinner which was in celebration of the Beckenbaughs' twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Following the dinner, five hundred was played. The guests presented a waffle iron to Mr. and Mrs. Beckenbaugh.

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Menu for Dinner
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Mashed Potatoes
Bread Apple Sauce
Vegetable Salad
Nut Spice Cake
7 Minute Frosting
Coffee

Frizzled Dried Beef
1-4 pound dried beef
4 tablespoons fat
4 tablespoons flour
2 cups milk
1-4 teaspoon pepper
1-4 teaspoon salt
1-4 teaspoon celery salt

Tear beef into small pieces. Heat fat in frying pan. Add and brown beef until edges curl up. Add flour Mix well and cook until flour has browned. Add milk and seasoning Stir constantly and cook until the mixture thickens and becomes creamy. Serve at once, poured over toast or with mashed potatoes.

Nut Spice Cake
2-3 cup fat
2 cups brown sugar
1 cup sour milk or buttermilk
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 teaspoons cinnamon
1 teaspoon cloves
1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 cup chopped dates
1-2 cup nuts
3 cups flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon soda
1-4 teaspoon salt
3 eggs, beaten

Cream the fat and sugar. Add rest of ingredients and beat 3 minutes. Pour into 2 layer cake pans lined with waxed paper. Bake 25 minutes in moderately slow oven. Frost with 7-minute frosting.

7-Minute Frosting
2 cups sugar
5 tablespoons cold water
2 egg whites, unbeaten
1 teaspoon vanilla
Mix sugar, water and whites in upper part of double boiler. Place in lower part which is 1-3 filled with boiling water. Place over moderate fire. Beat mixture with rotary beater 7 minutes or until frosting will form in peaks. Remove from fire and beat frosting until it is cold, thick and creamy. Add vanilla and frost cake.

Mrs. W. O. Dyne Addresses Club Saturday on Garden Lore
The Dixon Woman's Club held their regular meeting Saturday, Dec. 10, at the Christian church. A large group of members and friends enjoyed a never-to-be-forgotten program.

The program was in charge of the American Home and Garden department. Mrs. J. E. Young very graciously acted as temporary chairman. She first introduced Mrs. I. B. Potter, lyric soprano, accompanied by Miss Marie Worley. The club is very proud of this exceptionally talented member and always enjoy her interpretations of beautiful songs. Her numbers were in keeping with the topic of the day. She sang, "Morning" Laudon Ronald; "Flower Rain," Edwin Schneider.

Mrs. W. O. Dyne, President of Illinois Garden Club of Hinsdale, Ill., was then introduced. Miss Dyne's subject was "The Garden Book Shelf." She spoke in a very gracious and informal manner about the wealth of material dear to the heart of one interested in nature to be found on the book shelf. She interspersed her talk with quotations from a few of the fifty books she spoke of during the afternoon. She stressed that plant power means world power. All present were loth to have the program come to a close so interesting was this charming speaker.

Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess Mesdames Goeke, McDonald, Countryman, Chapman, Baird, Habacker, Hintz, Reed and Miss Ives.

On Saturday, Dec. 17, the club will hold their annual children's party. It will be held at the Christian church. The committee in charge are planning an innovation in Christmas parties. It is hoped that many will plan to come to this delightful affair.

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Mr. and Mrs. George W. Knox of 715 N. Ottawa avenue are today receiving congratulations in event of their golden wedding anniversary, which they spent quietly at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Knox have spent their entire married life in this vicinity, first living in Palmyra and then later moving to North Dixon, where they now reside.

A. Robert Knox and Mrs. Clyde V. Zeigler, two of their children, are here from Chicago to spend the day with their parents. A dinner was served this afternoon to the immediate relatives. The dining table was gay with flowers. Friends called during the day and many greetings and congratulations were extended Mr. and Mrs. Knox who are both well and who have many friends who extend best wishes for future anniversaries.

Mrs. Quick Entertains Her Class
Mrs. Harry Quick delightfully entertained the members of her Sunday school class of the Methodist church at her home on Saturday evening. Games and refresh-

ments were features of the evening, following the business session and program. Miss Helen Friedrich, was celebrating her birthday anniversary, the remainder of the group being unaware of the happy occasion until her mother, Mrs. Fred Friederich sent a tempting birthday cake as a surprise to be enjoyed by all in honor of Miss Helen. It was served with the refreshments. The class then sang the birthday song for her benefit and all wished her many happy returns of the day.

Christian Ladies Observe Women's Day at Christian Ch.
Ladies of the Missionary organizations of the First Christian church observed Women's Day yesterday morning with a special program. Miss Helen Spaulding of Bloomington, state secretary of missionary organizations was guest speaker. She brought a very inspiring message upon "The Making of a New World." The ladies had complete charge of the morning program of worship. Mrs. J. A. Barnett, president of the Women's Missionary Society presided. The opening prayer was offered by Mrs. W. G. Wells, president of the Missionary Guild. Miss Helen Rhodes, president of the Junior Society, led in the responsive Scripture reading.

Are You A COLD-SUSCEPTIBLE?
Colds-Susceptibles, According to Recent Medical Research, Are Those Having Four or More Colds a Year

BEWARE OF COLDS NOW
Colds—especially those mean "grippy" colds so prevalent at the present time—are more of a menace than most people suppose. They lower body resistance and often pave the way for serious illness. Colds-Susceptibles—those who "catch colds" easily—should be especially careful now.

If you belong to this group, here's welcome news. Vicks Plan for better Control of Colds was developed especially for America's millions of Colds-Susceptibles and their families.

With Certain simple rules of health, Vicks Plan combines proper medication—at the proper time—for every type and stage of a cold. The Plan was made possible with the new aid in preventing colds—Vicks Nose & Throat Drops. It is the ideal companion to Vicks VapoRub—the modern way of treating colds. The two aid and supplement each other in reducing the burden of the world's costliest ailment—the starting point of one-half of all disabling diseases!

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ing Miss Phyllis Wells, president of the Triangle Club read the missionary Chapter, John 14. Miss Lucille Rhodes, president of the Young Peoples Circle had the offertory prayer. The special musical number was by a ladies quartet, Miss Leona Ott, Ethel Hackbarth, Gladys Kime and Miss Savilla Palmer. A creditable offering to missions was received at the close of the program.

White Shrine Christmas Ceremonial Was A Delightful Event

The White Shrine of Jerusalem had their Christmas Ceremonial Friday evening. The business session was at four o'clock. Picnic supper was enjoyed in a Noel atmosphere. The dining room was decorated with Christmas trees and the tables with rainbows of tinsel. A children's chorus consisting of Paul Marth, Franklin Forman, Claire Leetch, Sterling Schrock, Jr., Orville Gearhart, Theodore Stansell, Helen Cline, Lucille Stultz and Elinor Dodd delighted the audience with carols. Under the direction of Mrs. C. Borick they were accompanied by Paul Marth on the cornet, Theodore Stansell on flute and Mrs. Rorick at the piano.

Jean Haines Terry and Joe Boyle, past Supreme Officers were guests of honor. They had driven from Aurora and were accompanied by Ted Terry and Mrs. Gale.

The past officers of the order filled the stations for the evening. The past officers taking part were Florence Franks, Walter Trautman, Clarence and Bernice Beard of Polo, Harriet Beam, Gavin and Marcella Dick, Maizie Hoberg and Duella Banker of Franklin Grove.

During the ceremonial Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schildberg, Olive Korz and Allan Read assisted Bertha Rorick with the music.

Silver Wedding Anniversary For Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Dodd
Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Dodd were happily surprised Saturday evening by friends, it being the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cortright, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Clingman, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hintz, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Richardson, Rev. and Mrs. Stansell, Prof. and Mrs. L. B. Neighbour and Mrs. J. S. McDougle.

The evening was spent in reminiscing and games. Refreshments were served and the wedding cake sampled. At a late hour the guests departed after wishing the Dadds many more anniversaries.

Gladys Swarthout And Husband Agree On Their Salads
New York, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Gladys Swarthout, mezzo soprano of the Metropolitan, and her Baltimore husband, Frank Chapman, Jr., believe the nursery rhyme Sprats solved one of the great problems of married life when they figured out the system whereby they "licked the platter clean."

Jack Spratt could eat no fat, his wife could eat no lean. Miss Swarthout and Mr. Chapman have a more difficult problem; they disagree almost all the way down the menu. Their cook has to prepare two separate meals three times a day, and the singers have decided that is the perfect system.

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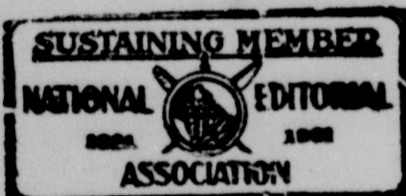
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THE SOUP KITCHEN.

The Loyalty League's soup kitchen seems to be working out splendidly. There was some little apprehension, even among its backers, when the plan was in the making. There was, for instance, a fear that the presence of a soup kitchen would be advertised far and wide and bring in a horde of transients. It has worked out, in fact, just the opposite. Dixon has become unpopular with the gentlemen of the open road. They apparently prefer a town that has no soup kitchen or bread line because in such towns they can fare better with the back door handouts and the dimes they pick up from the business houses.

When a transient asks for food in Dixon he is sent to the community kitchen. He is well taken care of there. He is filled up with hot, nourishing, well made soup and bread, and then he must move on.

The backers of the movement deserve credit and the public should give generous support to the little red "bird cages" to be found all over the city. Chief Van Bibber's "hotel" at the city hall has suffered quite a slump in patronage but the general public is being saved a considerable sum of money.

THE RISE OF THE RADICALS.

As the count of votes cast in the presidential election continues, it becomes evident that the minor parties got a larger share of the total than was at first supposed.

Reports from all but one-twelfth of the nation's election precincts show that the seven minor party candidates got, altogether, upward of a million votes.

Of these, the vast majority—more than 800,000—were cast for Socialist Norman Thomas. Approximately 70,000 went to the Communist, William Z. Foster, with the remainder scattered among Prohibition, Liberty, Socialist-Labor and other smaller groups.

Now all of this, to be sure, comprises only a small fraction of the total vote. Something like 36,000,000 Americans went to the polls; the proportion that wanted a sweeping change in our social and economic set-up badly enough to vote for a minor party candidate is only about one in 36. America, quite clearly, is still overwhelmingly conservative.

But there is a bit of an object lesson in the figures, just the same.

The radicals may be few, but they are far more numerous than they were four years ago.

In 1928, for instance, all of the minor parties together polled fewer than 380,000 votes. Thomas got 267,000—only a third of his 1932 total. And when you take into account the undoubted fact that in many machine-ruled cities thousands of Socialist and Communist votes simply were not counted at all, it becomes clear that radical strength increased very rapidly during the last four years.

This, of course, does not point to Socialist or Communist administration in the near future. But it does constitute a warning which those who guide the nation during the coming years must heed. Hard times have tripped the number of those who no longer believe in our capitalistic system. If a cure for hard times is not found, that number might easily be tripled again, and yet again—and then where would we be?

SANE VIEW OF WAR DEBTS.

In all of the current hullabaloo over the foreign debts, one of the sanest comments seems to be that made by Senator Borah.

Senator Borah, who has advocated a world conference on debts, disarmament, reparations and world economic problems generally insists that the war debts are only one source of the world's troubles; and he declares:

"It is unfair to ask American taxpayers to contribute their part for the removal of these causes and leave behind causes which will make their contributions wholly ineffective."

This is good, sound sense. If this nation has to make a heavy financial sacrifice to contribute to world recovery, it can do it; but it ought not to be the only nation called upon to take such action.

At the present rate of technological advance, three years will see 20,000,000 to 25,000,000 unemployed in this country.—Howard Scott, director of industrial survey for Technocracy, engineering society.

The last three generations have failed to provide the world with good, rough, tough pinochle players.—Capt. Charles Lockwood, 90, "last man" of Minneapolis' Last Man's Club of Civil War veterans.

Everyone is having a wonderful time in London. The night clubs are jammed and the people are just ignoring any talk of their troubles.—Noel Coward, English actor-playwright on his return to Broadway.

It is commonly known that women stand a tremendous amount of abuse as long as they have a meal ticket and money coming in.—Common Peas Judge A. R. Corlett, Cleveland, O.



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

"Well, well said wee Duncy. 'I am brave. I made the dickens dwarfs all rave and scamper quickly across the bridge. I guess they won't come back.' Then Duncy went back to the rest and said, 'I did my very best. If I had caught a dwarf I would have given him a sound whack.' The king of Weeland said, 'My son, your chasing stunt was real well done. It was a shame to scare the dwarfs, but they raise such a mess. 'Each one can act just like a clown. They'd turn our land right upside-down. It is better that you chased them and gave them a fright, I guess.' Then Scouty walked up to the king and asked it there was anything in Weeland that the happy band of Tiniest had not seen. 'We do not want to miss a thing,' said he. 'So tell me kindly king. There's one thing that we have wondered most. Does this land have a queen?' 'Oh, no!' the friendly king replied. 'A queen has never sat by my side. In fact, you have seen everything that this land has to show. 'But you have been real kind to me and I will pay you. You shall see, I know a place to send you, if you would all care to go.' 'Where is it?' Windy loudly cried. 'And does it mean we take a ride to get there? Gee, that would be fun! If that's the case, we'll go.' 'You'll ride right in an airship. It will be the finest trip you have had,' replied the king. 'When you arrive, you will all be glad I know.' The next thing that the Tiniest knew, right up to them the airship flew. A little Weeland pilot stood in front. He cried, 'Hop in, Tiniest.' 'We will not tell you where you are bound. It will thrill you when the place is found.' And as the Tiniest sailed away they all began to grin. (The Tiniest got a great, big surprise in the next story.)

Sidelights In News In Capital Of United States

By HERBERT PLUMMER

Washington — The possibility that a new face may be seen among the leaders of the next congress appeared as members of the House gathered in the Capitol for the short session and earnest discussion of the political set-up after March 4.

Of course a great big "if" will be the deciding factor. That both the next Speaker and floor leader of the House will not come from the same section of the country is the belief shared generally "on the hill."

At the moment perhaps the three most prominent candidates for the privilege of wielding Jack Garner's gavel are Rainey of Illinois, the present floor leader; Byrns of Tennessee, chairman of the appropriations committee, and McDuffie of Alabama, the Democratic whip.

A SHAKE UP—The election of any of these men promises a shake-up down the line in democratic organization.

If Byrns or McDuffie, for example, is elevated to the Speakership, the veteran white-haired Rainey would have to choose out of two jobs—both among the most powerful and influential in the House.

The first is to continue in the post of floor leader. The second is chairmanship of the Ways and Means Committee.

The departure of the present chairman of that committee, Collier of Mississippi, and the unsuccessful attempt of Crisp of Georgia to enter the Senate has placed Rainey at the head of the list of those eligible.

Rainey's consent to become chairman of Ways and Means, too might avert a possible controversy in the party as to who will get the job.

However, Rainey still has his eye on the Speakership and his supporters are confident of the polling of enough votes to elect him.

A NEW FLOOR LEADER—But should a southern democrat defeat him and he go in as chairman of Ways and Means, a new floor leader would emerge in the next Congress.

Two names figure largely in the discussions of who he will be. The first is Tom Cullen, so-called "boss" of the Tammany delegation in the house.

The second is the young, tall and handsome, John McCormack, of Massachusetts, who has made his mark as a member of Ways and Means.

Two new wireless stations have been established in the Republic of Colombia. One is located on San Andres Islands, and the other in Ocaña, one of the coffee-growing sections of that country.

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Bits of Gossip Among Illinois' Representatives

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Heard along Illinois' congressional row—Rep. James T. Igoe, Democrat, will be a candidate for postmaster of Chicago.

It all came out in a yarn swapping fest in Igoe's office. He was half-seriously discussing the fact that he was a "lame duck" Representative-at-Large William H. Dieterich of Beardstown, who is a Senator-elect, was there, as was Rep. Edward A. Kelly, Chicago Democrat.

"Now a good Congressman has got to run for something," said Igoe. "You can announce to the world for me that I am a candidate for the Postmastership of Chicago—Dieterich here is the Senator who is going to get my appointment confirmed."

"Not me," hastily exclaimed Dieterich. "I'm just a member of the House."

"But you will be a Senator in March," Igoe insisted.

"Yes, but the junior Senator. You take that up with Senator Lewis."

"I'm taking it up with you," responded Igoe. "I have commissionation."

"Well, it is up to Congressman to nominate their postmasters," Dieterich insisted. "You nominate yourself and I will see what can be done."

"A fine parliamentary victory," fretted Igoe, "but for which one of us?"

In the House there were twenty-six of the usual twenty-seven Representatives. There exists one vacancy, made by the death of Rep.

Karch of the Twenty-second District. His regularly elected successor, Edwin M. Schaefer, a Democrat, of East St. Louis does not take office until March 4.

The Representatives have been busy catching up with their mail. But not all of those sacks stacked everywhere about their offices are filled with communications from constituents, or petitions from home organizations demanding this and that. For the most part, they are filled with ponderous volumes of department reports, bound copies of last session's Congressional Record, and etc.

The offices of two of Illinois Representatives are up in the loft of the House Office building—on the fifth floor which accessible only by rear elevators.

Rep. John T. Buckbee, Republican of Rockford, who characterizes himself as "a business man—not a publicity grabbing politician," occupies one of these.

Dieterich occupies the other. "I like it up here under the roof," Dieterich says with a grin. "In fact, I like it so well that when I take my oath in the Senate next March, I'm going to ask for a special dispensation to stay right over here."

"You see, all my playmates are on this side of the Capitol. The dignity I'll be exposed to over there in the Senate office building will probably overpower me."

The Congressmen take time out to kid each other. Rep. B. M. Chipfield, Canton, drops in often to see Rep. Charles Adkins, Decatur. Chipfield always greets his colleague with a booming: "hello farmer."

Adkins never looks up. He merely mutters: "Sit down."

Senator Glenn had a conference with President Hoover Tuesday. "Just a visit"—according to Glenn.

Daily Health Talk

FROM RAT TO MAN

Much concerning the behavior of mankind both physically and psychologically, cannot be understood by direct study of man. Man cannot be experimented with, and, besides, man is not a very good experimental animal. His personal factor enters too prominently into the ultimate results.

For this reason scientists are obliged to turn to lower animals. Certain basic biologic laws are as valid for the single-celled amoeba as for the highest form of man. In this spirit, a number of scientists have set themselves to study the relationship between age and the state of nutrition to performance of physical and mental work.

The animals studied were white rats. Three groups were established. One was given unrestricted quantities of well balanced foods; another was given free access to unlimited quantities of foods which were, however, defective in an essential protein. The third group was given a well balanced diet in insufficient quantities.

The first group developed normally; the other two groups were retarded in their growth. The animals were studied for their gross activity and for their ability in solving problems.

The results were a little surprising. The stunted groups were found to be more active than the well fed rats, and those that were undernourished excelled the well fed rats in the speed of solving maze problems. However, the well fed rats made fewer errors as they grew older while those that were undernourished did not improve in this respect.

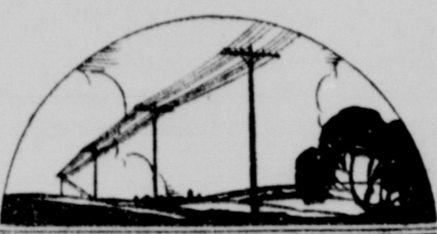
The greater activity of the undernourished and stunted groups of rats suggests that there may be an optimal degree of nutrition, preferable to the maximum.

However, care must be exercised in applying to man the conclusions drawn from animal experimentation. We have much evidence to show that in humans prolonged undernutrition is likely to prove very injurious.

Tomorrow—Building Bacteria

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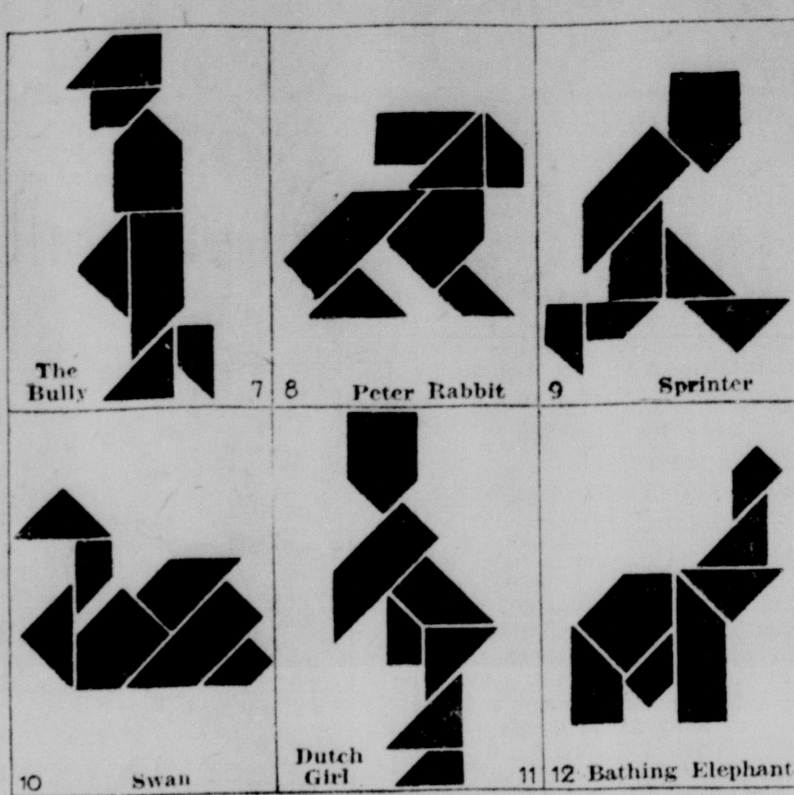
Housework is really much easier in homes with telephones. With a telephone, the housewife can quickly reach neighbors or stores—can chat with friends and exchange recipes or have those pleasant "telephone visits" which dispel the gloomy effects of monotonous housework.

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A BOOK A DAY

A MAN WHO ENJOYS LIFE

Whatever rank history may give Winston Churchill as a statesman, there is little doubt that it will rate him very highly indeed as a writer. No other world leader of recent years has had anything like his literary gifts.

His newest book is "Amid These Storms," and it is something of a disappointment. A series of sketches about events too trivial to get into his other books, it represents, so to speak, a pocketful of small but when you finish it you haven't change. It is interesting enough, read much of anything.

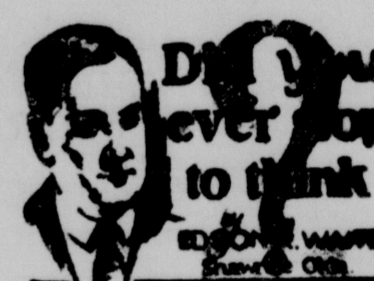
Nevertheless, you won't go to sleep over it.

Mr. Churchill tells, for example, about the one and only "spy scare" in which he got involved—an occasion when he and some naval officers found a searchlight on the roofs of a country house near one of the bases of the grand fleet, but leaped, after some fuss, that it was perfectly harmless.

He gives a very good description of the German army's spring offensive in 1918, and helps you to understand why it failed. He tells how close the submarine campaign came to success and shows how it

was finally conquered. He recites his experience as a combat soldier, tells how he learned to pilot an airplane and explains the joys of an unskilled amateur painter.

It's fairly thin stuff, but it does put you in contact with a man who has astounding energy and a great zest for living.



W. E. CHILTON, EDITOR OF THE CHARLESTON (W. VA.) GAZETTE, SAYS:

THAT women spend nearly all the money nowadays. Men actually do little of the buying in the retail shops.

Newspaper publishers who do not recognize this fact are missing a chance to increase their reader influence at the class of readers who spend the money that the retail merchants are after.

The newspaper, through its advertising, is the intermediary. To solidify its prestige with the women, the newspaper should carefully and continually cultivate this most responsive class of readers.

NEW MONETARY SYSTEM SCHEME OF A CANADIAN

Would Make Wheat One Of Vital Factors Of Exchange

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 12.—(AP)—A new monetary system for the world, a system in which wheat, silver and gold would be the vital factors, has been presented to financiers in America, Great Britain and other countries by Frank O'Hearn, former vice president of the Standard Stock Exchange.

Professing it as no panacea, but as a plan intended to aid farmers and silver currency nations, O'Hearn has drawn up the suggestion in outline and mailed it to leading economists and money experts.

The first aim would be to arrive at a commodity valuation so stabilized that it would be a standard to which all other commodities and services would have a permanent relative valuation.

The second would be to elaborate the Gow monetary system to fulfill efficiently the requirements of modern business and the needs of the people.

Primary Requisites

This, O'Hearn believes, calls for two primary requisites: (a) A fixed monetary valuation between wheat and silver; (b) A flexible monetary valuation as between the new silver-wheat standard and gold.

O'Hearn suggests that inasmuch as one ounce of silver and one bushel of wheat are now approximately at the same price, the future standard of value for all commodities and services be on the basis of one ounce of silver equaling one bushel of wheat.

In carrying out the plan, he would have a new "silver-wheat" coin introduced into the currency of all nations in conjunction with their own monetary systems. This would be recognized as the world's standard of value for silver and wheat. He declares this coin would have no bearing in value, or otherwise, with any existing currencies.

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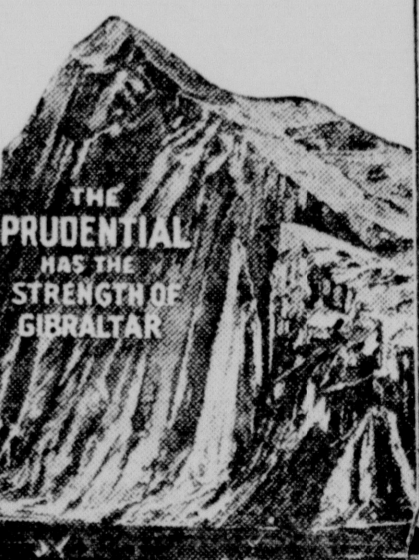
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ATTENDANCE AT GRID GAMES IS OFF 15 PER CENT

However Some Of the Big College Teams Increased Figures

New York, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Despite a general decline of approximately 15 per cent for the 1932 season, college football attendance was reported by George Washington University (Washington, D. C.) in playing this season before 92,500 fans in seven home games.

The undefeated or championship teams enjoyed good business. Although the reduction of ticket prices scaled down the year's profits, Purdue showed an increase of 40 per cent in attendance. Pittsburg's Panthers, with the Rose Bowl game to go, drew 25 per cent more cash customers than last year. Michigan and Colgate, two other unbeaten arrays, reported only the slightest of decreases.

Ramblers Pack 'Em

Notre Dame, although meeting two unexpectedly decisive defeats, continued to "pack 'em in." The Ramblers played to virtual capacity crowds in their last three engagements against Navy, Army and Southern California, in Cleveland, New York and Los Angeles. These three contests alone drew approximately 250,000 customers and Notre Dame's total attendance for the season of 440,000, a 12 per cent increase for the entire country with the single exception of Southern California.

The most encouraging reports were concentrated in the middle west and east. Three of the Big Six teams, Nebraska, Oklahoma and Missouri, reported increased attendance. North Dakota University (St. Louis) also played before bigger home crowds.

Fell Off In East

Harvard and Yale experienced their biggest falling off in attendance, as well as receipts, since the depression hit the gridirons. The Crimson's attendance figures dropped about 25 per cent while Yale's declined nearly 35 per cent to the lowest level since the war. Pennsylvania, with a successful team, just about held its own on the basis of games played at Franklin Field. Army played before 284,000 as compared with 323,000 the year before. The "Big Three" on the Pacific Coast all showed declines at the "gate" but they were better than the average. Southern California played before an estimated 457,000 in nine games as against 571,000 in ten games last year. California and Stanford also showed losses but the University of California at Los Angeles turned up with a tremendous increase.

Comparative figures on football attendance for 1932 and 1931 are listed below:

	1932	1931
Notre Dame	440,000	413,000
Michigan	223,000	228,000
Northwestern	224,000	325,000
Purdue	146,598	101,445
Illinois	152,833	176,414
Indiana	75,000	102,000
Kansas	77,000	74,800
Nebraska (four games)	63,817	61,911
Wisconsin (five games)	82,719	60,272

Four Billiardists Remain In Running

New York, Dec. 12.—The national pocketbilliard championship tournament entered its second week today with four of the ten contenders still unbeaten.

Trailing the defeated brigade was the defending champion, Ralph Greenleaf of New York. The champion had won three successive matches as had young Jimmy Caras of Wilmington, Del. Erwin Rudolph of Cleveland and Pasquale Natale of Chicago.

Trailing the leaders were Andrew Ponzl of Philadelphia with no victories in three starts; Bennie Allen of Kansas City, with an even break in four games; and Frank Taberski of Schenectady, N. Y., who had won one game and lost three. George Kelly of Philadelphia, James Mills of San Jose, Calif., and Walter Franklin of Kansas City, all were seeking their first victories. Kelly had lost three successive matches and Mills and Franklin four each.

Today's afternoon matches sent Taberski against Mills and Caras against Franklin. Greenleaf faces Kelly tonight.

Veterans Meet In Frisco Tournament

San Francisco, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Al Espinosa of Akron, Ohio, and Craig Wood of Deal, N. J., both veteran professionals, meet here today in the \$2,500 final of the San Francisco national match play open golf championship.

While the weather provided a snowy upset yesterday, Espinosa's methodical strokes bested Johnny McHugh, youthful San Diego favorite, 3 and 2, and Wood eliminated Willie Hunter of Los Angeles, one up.

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CHICAGO BEARS PLAY SPARTANS FOR GRID TITLE

Won Right To Game By Victory Over Green Bay

New York, Dec. 12.—(AP)—The Porthmouth Spartans and the Chicago Bears will play off at Chicago next Sunday for the National Professional Football League championship.

Beating the Green Bay Packers, 9-0, in a crucial game at Chicago yesterday, the Bears wound up the regular season in a tie for first place with the Spartans, thus necessitating a playoff.

Battling furiously in a snowstorm, the Bears and Packers played through three scoreless periods before the Bears finally broke through. Recovering a fumble in the final period, the Bears, with Bronko Nagurski leading the charge, plowed through to the five yard line. Here Green Bay held and on fourth down, Paul P. Ebertsen fell back and place-kicked a field goal from the 15-yard line.

Toward the close of the period, Nagurski definitely clinched the victory springing 36 yards to a touchdown. Red Grange missed the boot for extra point.

Green Bay, champion of the circuit for several years, fell back into third place this season, winning ten games, losing three and tying one.

DIXON GRADERS DEFEAT AMBOY BY 29-7 SCORE

Was First Contest Of Season For Coach Roundy's Boys

By DON HILLIKER

Dixon's All-Star grade school heavyweight cage team scored an easy victory over Amboy last Saturday. The score of the single contest, played in the north-side gymnasium, was 29-7.

Coach Roundy used a makeshift lineup most of the game. The play of the primary boys was fairly well executed. Coakley and Ellis took the scoring honors with nine and eight points, respectively.

This affair opened the season for the locals. The schedule for the 1932-33 season follows:

Dec. 17—Central (Sterling) there Jan. 7—Open.
Jan. 14—Central (Sterling) here Jan. 20—Rock Falls, there.
Jan. 21—Rochelle here.
Jan. 28—Rochelle, there.
Feb. 4—Open.
Feb. 11—Rock Falls, here.
Forthcoming date with Freeport.

(Entry in Sterling Y. M. C. A. tourney.)

LINEUPS—

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Cotter, f	2	0	0
Ellis, f	4	0	0
Coakley, c	4	1	1
Muller, g	0	0	0
Oakford, g	0	0	1
Tilton, g	0	0	0
Murphy, f	1	0	1
Ankeny, f	0	0	0
Potts, g	0	0	0
Robuck, c	2	1	1
McConaughy, g	1	0	1

AMBOY—

	B	F	P
Plate, f	0	0	0
Lupton, f	0	0	0
Parker, c	1	0	0
Covill, g	1	3	2
Ringenberger, g	0	0	0
Conway, f	0	0	0
Littz, f	0	0	0
Referee—Potts (Dixon).			
Umpire—Hilliker (Dixon).			

Fuller In Debut As Welterweight

New York, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Sammy Fuller, scourge of the lightweights a few months ago, aims at bigger game this week.

The Boston brawler, an eastern sensation last spring, faces Jimmy McLarnin, crack Vancouver welterweight, in the feature ten-round bout at Madison Square Garden on Friday's card.

Fuller campaigned almost exclusively in Boston rings until he came down to the Garden last February and belted Ray Miller, Chicago southpaw, into submission in ten rounds.

In March he knocked out Billy Wallace of Cleveland in seven rounds. He battled Jackie (Kid) Berg of England to a draw in ten sensational rounds and then outpointed the Briton in a return battle.

Increasing weight led him to abandon the lightweight division and aim at a leading place among the welterweights. His match with McLarnin will mark his debut in that class.

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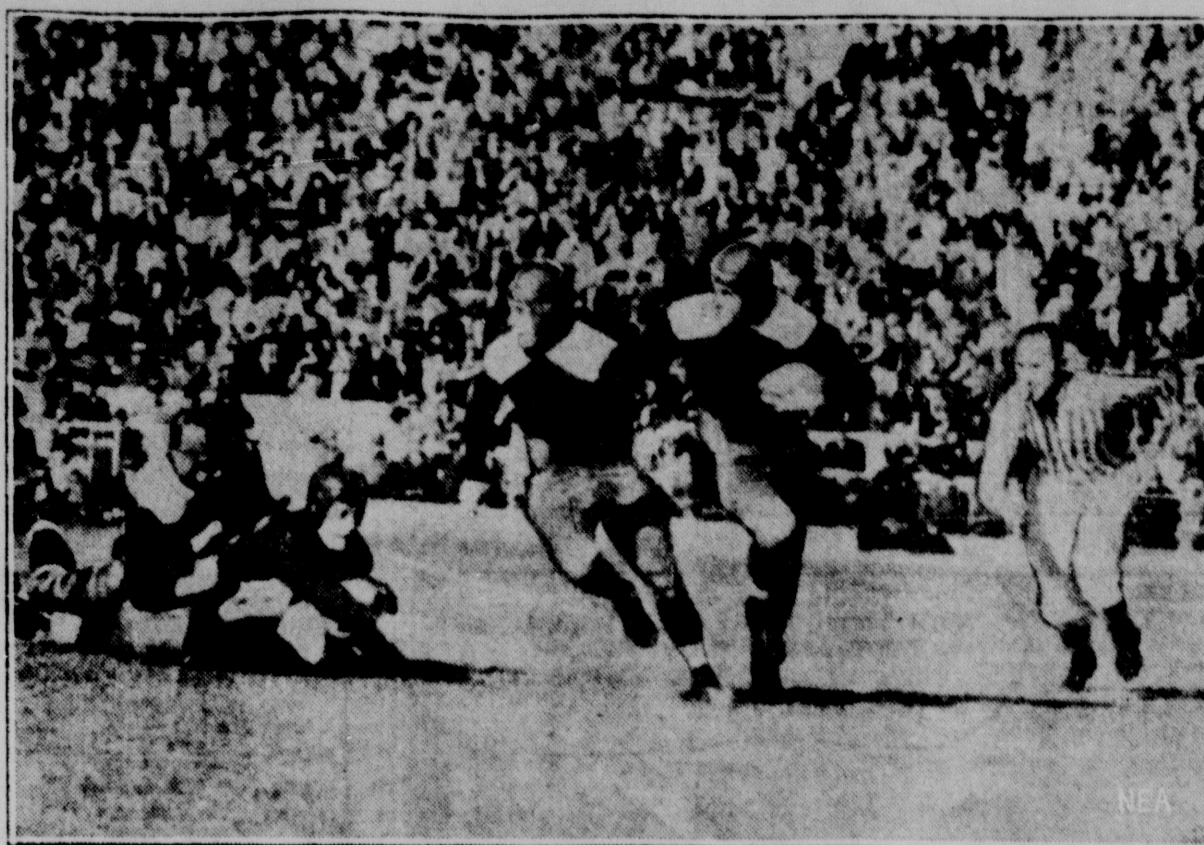
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Fighting Irish Lose to Trojans, 13-0



Scoring on a pass in the second quarter and a plunge in the third, the Trojans rolled up 13 points while holding Notre Dame scoreless in Olympic Stadium, Los Angeles, before a crowd of 100,000. In the above telephoto Steve Banas, star Notre Dame fullback, is making a futile attempt to get round end in the first quarter.

Hooks and Slides

By BILL BRAUCHER

When Glenn Scobie "Pop" Warner, a somewhat well known football coach, decided to leave Stanford University and transfer his character-building activities to Temple University, at Philadelphia, two prominent names were somehow linked.

The other name was that of Rev. Dr. Russell H. Conwell, D. D., LL. D., founder of Temple, a school built upon sermons. Temple is an old school, and is larger than Stanford in point of enrollment. Last year the alumnus numbered the Stanford student body at 3948. Temple's enrollment was put at 5428. And, besides Pop Warner, there are 707 other teachers listed at Temple, which figure probably is erratic inasmuch as it leaves out Bert Bell, the former Penn captain, who has been assisting at coaching at Temple.

A Couple Of Lamps

Temple was founded 44 years ago. The idea of its creator, who was a well-known lecturer, was to provide a place where ambitious and deserving poor young men could light the lamp of learning. Now they are to be privileged not only to bask in the effulgent rays of the aforesaid lamp of learning, but will enjoy the fruits of character building through football and Pop Warner who is to be remunerated to the extent of approximately \$15,000 a year for five years for his efforts.

The name to which Pop Warner's now is to be linked, that of Dr. Conwell, is a well-known old name in religion. The noted preacher was born in 1843 in a poor family that worked a threadbare farm in the Berkshire hills of western Massachusetts.

Gives It to Youth

The boy, who left the farm at an early age, was to become the author of one of the world's most famous and best paid sermons, "Acres of Diamonds," and the money earned through that sermon went to help educate hundreds of young people.

He started Temple as a night school. Classes increased until Dr. Conwell was obliged to open a day school as well. The institution grew and departments developed—a law school, divinity school, medical school. Branches were added until the ambitious and deserving young man found himself able to pick from 79 or more courses—including football, of which Pop Warner now will be the maestro.

Dr. Conwell died in 1925. During the scores of years of his active work in building Temple, he had preached the doctrine of personal opportunity and individual achievement, but had not himself practiced what he preached.

The millions of dollars that he earned and the millions that those earned millions earned in turn were poured into the school or handed to his beloved "deserving young men."

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EVEN DOZEN OF BIG TEN GAMES ON WEEK'S CARD

Four Of Western Conference Teams On Saturday Eve

Chicago, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Western Conference basketball teams will play a card of 12 games this week, featured by a brace of contests with Pittsburgh's touring five.

The schedule will open tonight with Iowa at Drake, and Wednesday night Indiana will entertain De Pauw, and Miami will play at Purdue, in the opening game of the defending champion Boilermakers season.

Michigan will try for its first victory against Mt. Union Thursday and on Friday Northwestern will meet Pittsburgh. Pittsburgh will jump to Minneapolis to meet Minnesota Saturday, Carleton will play its return game with Western (Mich.) State Teachers at Kaia-moqui, Illinois meets Wabash at Champaign, Wisconsin will entertain Marquette and Chicago will tackle an alumni five.

Big Ten teams won four out of seven engagements Saturday evening. Northwestern showed power in defeating Marquette, 36 to 29, and Minnesota walloped Grinnell, 55 to 25. Chicago edged out Lake Forest, 27 to 26, and Illinois trimmed Bradley, 26 to 21.

Michigan lost its second straight bowing to Michigan State in an overtime affair, 20 to 17, and Wisconsin lost to the veteran Carleton five, 34 to 29. Ohio State took a 40 to 38 trimming from Ohio Wesleyan, champion of the Ohio Conference.

Other games of the week are: Monmouth at Iowa Wesleyan, on Tuesday; Flat River, at Shurtleff, Wednesday; De Paul at St. Viator, Thursday; Chicago V. M. C. A. at Normal and Council against Augustana at Rock Island, Friday.

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NEW TEN SECOND RULE FAILED TO FULFILL REASON

Kansas Director, Sponsor Of Rule, Made Victim Of It

Kansas City, Dec. 12.—(AP)—The new "10-second" rule which was advocated by Dr. F. C. Allen, the University of Kansas Athletic Director and basketball coach, on the ground that it would produce high scores, has resulted in a 15-11 game, with his own Jayhawkers on the short end of the score.

The defending Big Six champion Jayhawkers lost both of their exhibition games with Kansas State, dropping the first by 27 to 31, and the second by the small score which the new rules were expected to obviate.

The Jayhawkers had an easier time against Ottawa University at Ottawa Saturday night, winning 35 to 27, after toying with the opposition until the final moments.

After beating Kansas twice, Kansas State lost to St. Louis University 26 to 29, Saturday night. Charles Corsaut's Wildcats play an engagement tonight at Maryville with the Northwest Missouri Teachers, who lost by only one point to the Wichita Henrys in the finals of the last National A. A. U. tournament; and then meet Davis & Elkins at Manhattan Thursday and Wichita University at Wichita Saturday night.

Missouri opens its season on an eastern junket this week, meeting Butler at Indianapolis Wednesday, George Washington University at Washington Thursday and Washington University at St. Louis Saturday night.

Kansas plays a return engagement with Ottawa at Lawrence Thursday night; Nebraska opens against Arkansas at Lincoln, and Iowa State, which lost its opener to Coe College, 23 to 41, plays Central at Ames Friday night.

The week's schedule: Monday—Kansas State vs. Maryville Teachers at Maryville, Mo. Wednesday—Missouri vs. Butler at Indianapolis.

Thursday—Kansas State vs. Davis and Elkins at Manhattan; Missouri vs. George Washington University at Washington; Ottawa vs. Kansas at Lawrence.

Friday—Central vs. Iowa State at Ames; Arkansas vs. Nebraska at Lincoln.

Saturday—Missouri vs. Washington University at St. Louis; Kansas State vs. Wichita at Wichita.

And Friday between University of Tennessee Junior College and Southern State Teachers at Carbondale.

Illinois Wesleyan, with high hopes for its first conference championship since 1929, will play Notre Dame at South Bend. Coach H. L. Wagner's championship Carthage quintet will play Iowa Wesleyan at Mt. Pleasant, Thursday.

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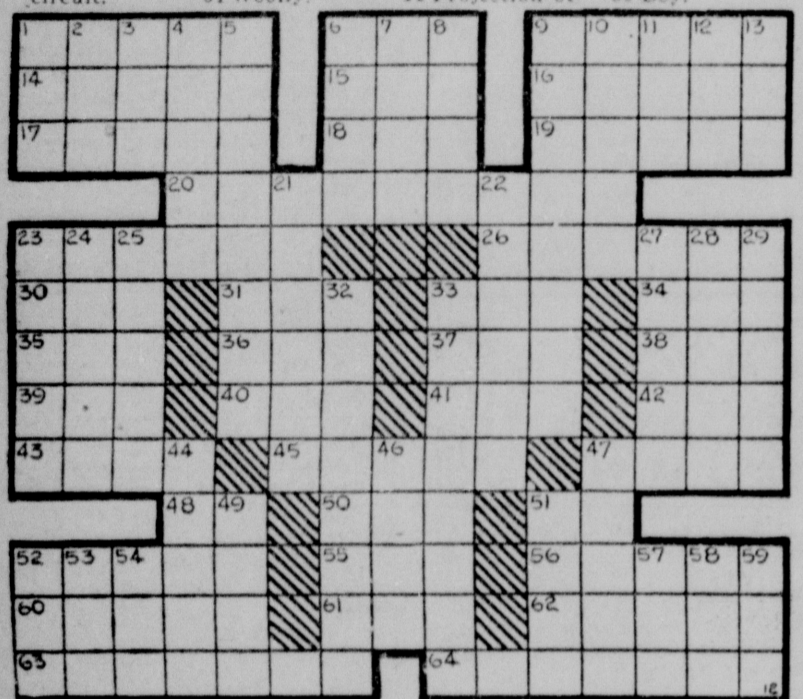
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- 6 Sorrowful.
- 9 Trite.
- 14 Harem.
- 15 Frozen water.
- 16 Effigy.
- 17 Government seal.
- 18 Meadow.
- 19 Raised to the third power.
- 20 Lawyers.
- 23 Professional wailer.
- 26 Genus of scale insects.
- 30 Stir.
- 31 Very small weight.
- 33 Measure of cloth.
- 34 Bronze.
- 35 Male title of courtesy.
- 36 Striped fabric.
- 37 Pedal digit.
- 38 Greek letter.
- 39 Matter from a sore.
- 40 Racetrack circuit.

Answer to Previous Puzzle



VERTICAL

- 1 Onager.
- 2 Moist.
- 3 Constellation.
- 4 Pertaining to a branch.
- 5 Having two wings.
- 6 Green fodder.
- 7 Maple tree.
- 8 College official.
- 9 What vehicles are the chief method of transportation in Holland?
- 10 To divert.
- 11 Projection of a lock.
- 12 Era.
- 13 Guided.
- 21 Pertaining to tribes.
- 22 Having a coiled appearance.
- 23 Yarn spindles.
- 24 Abhorrence.
- 25 In poorer health.
- 27 Values.
- 28 Twelve months (pl.).
- 29 Evil demon.
- 32 Following the downfall of what ruler was Belgium formed?
- 33 Celestial.
- 34 To distort.
- 36 Young salmon.
- 37 Music drama.
- 38 Region.
- 51 To spread as an arch.
- 52 Membranous bag.
- 53 Verb.
- 54 Tree.
- 57 Mesh of lace.
- 58 One in cards.
- 59 Boy.



SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

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NEXT: What is the foggiest place in the United States?

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)

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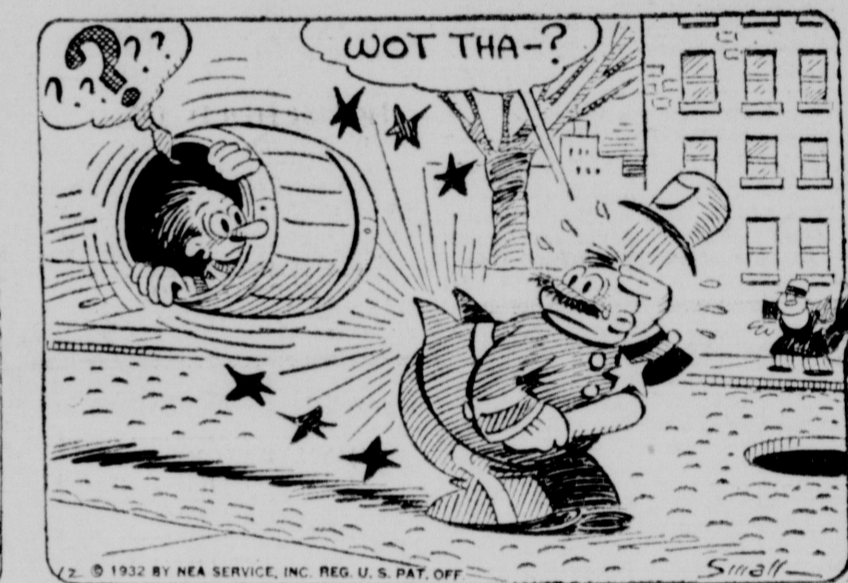
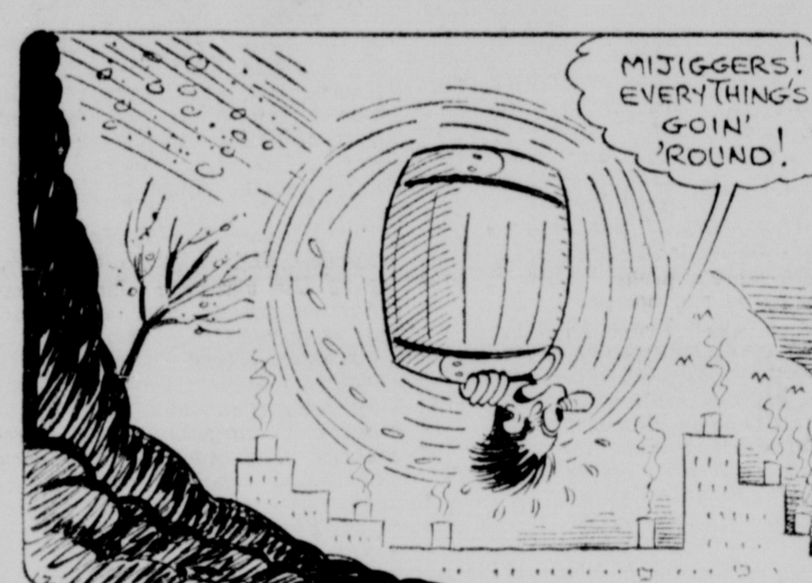
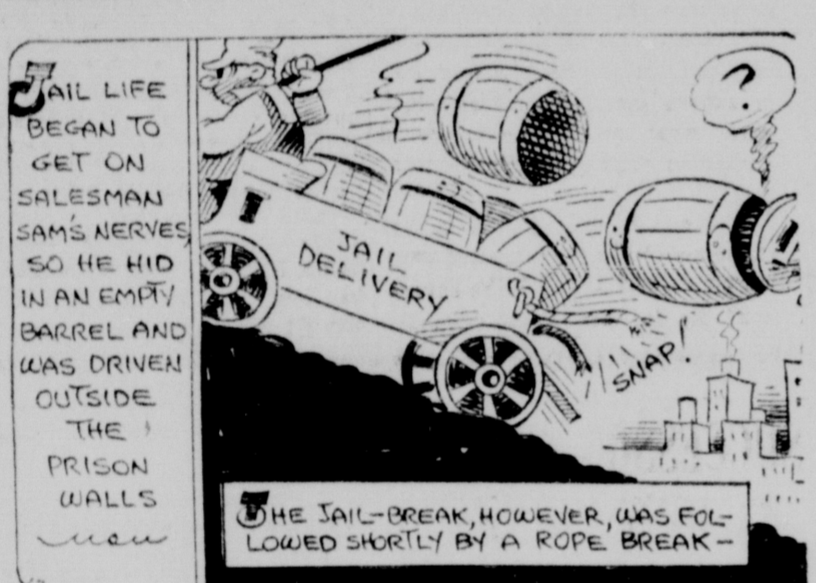
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

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Against the Law!



WASH TUBS

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FOR SALE—Beautiful silk bags, suitable for toilet articles. Just the thing for traveling. Price \$2.50. Mrs. A. S. Hyde, Tel. X992. 14

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FOR RENT—An apartment over the Express office. For further particulars inquire at the American Express office, 315 First St. Tel. 144. 14

FOR SALE—Very desirable lot on Black Hawk Trail, Riverdale addition, Lot 12. Address "S" care, Telegraph. 14

FOR SALE—NuGrape, a delicious drink. Sold in single bottles or by the case. Ask your grocer about it. 14

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FOR RENT—2 modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping with bath. All newly decorated. Inquire of 741 Brinton Ave. Tel. 29213

FOR RENT—Modern furnished 7-room house, 3-room apartment, furnished or unfurnished, heat furnished. Inquire 511 W. Third St. Mrs. Harry Himes. 29213

FOR RENT—160 acres, close to Dixon. Share rent, cash rent for pasture. 170 acres, shares 30-50. Renter to buy 5 of horses, cattle, sheep, machinery, close to milk factory. Geo. Stitzel, Phone Y292. 29213

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FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern home, close-in. 319 East Second St. Phone X480. 2441

FOR RENT—3 home-like furnished rooms for light housekeeping in modern home. Delightful location 511 N. Hennepin Ave. Phone X233. 2441

FOR RENT—A garage at 515 East Second St. Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook Tel. 326. 29213

FOR RENT—A garage near the city hospital. Tel. 326 for further information. 29213

FOR RENT—Sleeping room in modern home. Close-in. 315 Second St. Tel. X983. 29213

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LOST

LOST—A curly Shepherd dog. Answers to the name of "Teddy". Is children's pet and anyone knowing where Teddy is will bring him back to some mournful children by phoning Y1162. 29216

LOST—Shaffer fountain pen Thursday at money order window at Post Office. Finder please Phone 459. Reward. 29213

Would you not like a box of Healo. It is the best foot powder on the market. 14

Ask about the Dixon Telegraph's Accident Insurance. 14

TRIO OF YOUNG OGLE ROBBERS WAS CAPTURED

(Continued From Page 1)

station. He was immediately taken into custody and after being questioned, the four officers accompanied him to his place of business, a pool room at Haldane, and later, his home at Maryland station, a settlement, a mile east of Haldane, where large quantities of stolen articles were reported to have been found in almost every part of the house. Considerable loot was said to have been discovered at the Haldane pool room operated by the older Beck.

The stolen articles were placed in two cars and taken to the police station at Sterling and yesterday afternoon taken to the county jail at Morrison. States Attorney L. E. Winn of Whiteside county joined the four officers in the investigation which followed and in which it was reported that all three of the youths signed confessions in which they admitted more than a dozen thefts committed in Lee, Ogle and Whiteside counties.

Thefts Near Dixon
Sheriff Fred Richardson was called to Sterling about 11:30 Sunday morning when it was learned that Lee County had suffered from the operations of the trio. Upon his arrival it was learned that four different places in the vicinity of Dixon had been visited during the past ten weeks and robberies committed. The Rankin service station located at the intersection of the Walton spur with state highway, 89, was visited three weeks ago and the locks broken from the gasoline pumps. It was reported that about 75 gallons of gasoline was taken. The Beck brothers admitted having filled nine five-gallon cans of gasoline after breaking the locks of the pumps at this place. At the F. Tillman service station, at the intersection of the Lowell Park road with state highway 26, north of Dixon, they admitted having stolen gasoline. At the Charles Bremer service station, west of the airport on the Lincoln Highway, they confessed having not only broken the locks off the pumps, but having broken into the station building which they ran-sacked, taking some articles.

The Joe Smallwood hardware store in Harmon was the scene of their fourth visit in Lee county, according to their confessions. On the night of November 2, the lock on the front door of the hardware store was picked off, entrance gained and over a hundred dollars' worth of stock hauled away. Some of the articles were recovered in Charles Beck's home at Maryland station. It was reported, A gasoline-heated fire place had been in operation when it was found by the officers.

Elder Youth Leader
In their confessions, members of the trio admitted having operated at Rochelle, Brookville, Polo, Dixon, Harmon, Milledgeville, Sterling and other smaller places in Ogle and Whiteside counties. Their wave "ad" extended over a period of about three months, they said, and Charles Beck, the elder of the trio, assumed the responsibility of being the head of the band.

"I started out with that pool room up at Haldane and didn't have money enough to buy stock, so just started out and got a stock from other places," he told State Attorney Winn and state officers. "I'm glad it's all over, this way, before we got in worse. I'll take the responsibility and blame. I don't feel sorry for myself, but I do for the other two boys. I knew we had to stop some time and had thought it over in my own mind and figured we had better quit pretty soon."

The elder of the two Beck's stated that all of the candy, cigars, cigarettes and chewing gum that were taken in their series of robberies, he took to his pool room at Haldane and disposed of it. Officers believe that this was an avenue for the disposal of considerable of the stolen property.

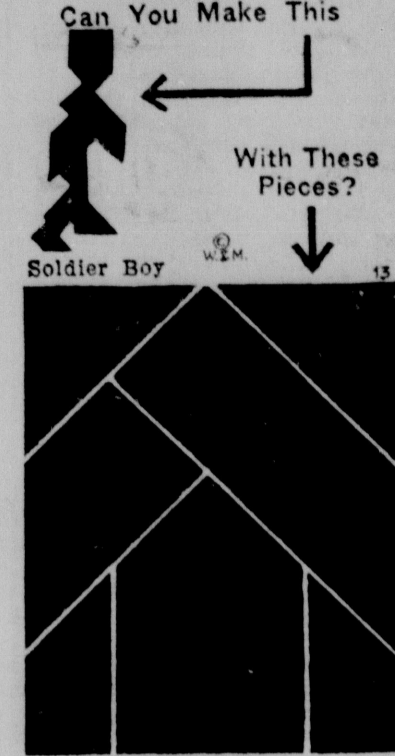
All three Amos brothers, the trio admitted having been armed with revolvers when they entered the McCue station, and John Beck and Heckert succeeded in "ditching" their guns when the car in which Officers Tyne and Jacobs were riding drove up in the station drive. The officers found a loaded revolver in the battery box of Charles Beck's car when they took him in custody at Polo, which he admitted having carried in several robberies.

According to their stories, the three assembled at the Beck pool room in Haldane about midnight Saturday night and left in Charles Beck's car about 2 o'clock in the morning, driving south on state highway 26 through Polo at Cavannah's corners, north of Wood-sung, they took the gravel road to Prairieville and the Lincoln Highway, then driving west through Sterling. One of the trio admitted that two service stations were to have been entered by them at the early morning hour, the first being the McCue station. Here they forced a window in the east end of the building through which they entered and then opened the front door. They had left their car parked on a side road about three blocks north of the station.

It was when the front door was opened the first time that the alarm was sounded in McCue's home across the road. Making a quick survey of the station to ascertain that no one was sleeping in the building, they hurriedly gathered up cigars, cigarettes and candy and about two dollars in change which they found in the cash register and small glass containing pennies, when they were surprised by the officers and owners.

Had To Grand Jury
Waiving preliminary hearing before Judge R. W. E. Mitchell at Sterling yesterday afternoon, the

HI-HO



HI-HO PUZZLE NO. 13—Well a soldier boy has marched right into today's HI-HO puzzle—Challenging you to find him! Can you do so by cutting out the seven mystic pieces and arranging them so as to form his silhouetted figure?

(Solution Next Monday.)

The trio were bound over to the January grand jury under bonds of \$3,000 each in default of which they were taken to the county jail at Morrison by Deputy Sheriff Bert Byam, who had assisted in the questioning.

Sheriff Frank Murray of Oregon met Deputy Sheriff Byam of Whiteside county and Ward Miller of Lee county met at Polo yesterday afternoon, where a conference was held. Marshal Sherd Dodson, of Polo, former Ogle county sheriff, assisted in the recovery of another cache of stolen articles at the home of Murray Heckert, consisting of a new battery radio set and several automobile tires and tubes, which were taken to the Polo city hall. A fourth youth, who was said to have been implicated by the Beck brothers in their early thefts of tires and gasoline from parked automobiles was questioned but was not held.

According to the story told by John Beck to Sheriff Richardson, Murray Heckert was acquainted with a young man residing in Harmon and while visiting at his home a few weeks ago, "spotted" the Joe Smallwood hardware store and escorted the trio to the village on the night of the robbery.

Leader Is Married
Heckert and John Beck, according to the arresting officers, were defiant at first in spite of the fact that they were captured while in the McCue service station, and refused to answer questions, but later unravelled the long list of robberies throughout the three counties. The elder, Charles Beck, when asked which of the trio acted as captain of the gang, assumed that responsibility. Charles is married and is the father of a small child. His 16-year-old brother John, quit his studies at the Polo high school, where he was a sophomore student, three weeks ago, and Heckert lives with his parents in Polo.

The sheriffs of the three counties were enthusiastic in their praise of the efficient work of the State Highway police officers in the apprehension of the trio and the recovery of a great deal of the loot. State Officer Frank Tyne of this city and Patrolman Elmer Jacobs of the Sterling police department were the recipients of a great deal of praise for the capture of the youthful trio, and Tom McCue for his foresight in installing the burglar alarm system which was effective in bringing about the close of several weeks' wave of robberies throughout the three counties.

It was intimated that warrants would be secured today for the three youths for the robberies committed in Lee county and Sheriff Murray expected to secure warrants for the robberies committed in Ogle county.

NEWS CHURCHES

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES
"God the Preserver of Man" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, December 11.

The Golden Text was, "As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the Lord is round about his people from henceforth even for ever." (Psalms 125:2).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following passage from the Bible: "He that dwelleth in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty."—Because thou hast made me, O Lord, which is my refuge, even the most High, thy habitation; There shall no evil befall thee, neither shall any plague come nigh thy dwelling. For he shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways." (Psalms 91:1, 9-11).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Angels, God's thoughts passing to man; spiritual intuitions, pure, and perfect; the inspiration of goodness, purity, and immortality, contracting all evil, sensuality, and mortality" (p. 581).

The number of gypsies in Great Britain is estimated to be more than 100,000.

A useful gift—our dollar stationery. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 14

WEEK-END MURDER

GABRIELLE E. FORBUSH
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BEGIN HERE TODAY

LINDA AVERILL believes her elderly cousin, AMOS PEABODY, was murdered when he fell from the second story balcony of the Averill's Long Island home because of a few words he gasped before his death. Linda rushes upstairs. Someone tries to strangle her and she faints.

There are four guests in the house—all suspects of the crime. They are MR. STATLANDER, business associate of TOM AVERILL; CAPTAIN DE VOS, handsome Belgian; MARVIN PRATT, former auditor of Linda's; and LIAH SHAUGHNESSY, Irish writer. Since there is no evidence on which to base an arrest, Linda and Tom, her husband, agree they must keep the four men in the house until they have discovered who is guilty. They pretend to believe the death was an accident. They are aided in their plan when DR. BOYLE, medical examiner, sends word that everyone must remain until he has questioned them. He is on his way to the house and can not return for several hours.

Linda finds the towel with which the attempt was made to strangle her—identified by a smear of sun-burn ointment. It was in Statlander's bathroom. She overhears BOYLE, the maid, talking to Shaughnessy about a shirt Boie has promised to launder.

ALGER comes to play bridge for the evening. Linda talks to Statlander about the happenings of the morning. He says he would like to have been present when the body was examined, adding, "It would have been very interesting."

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XXIX

NO one would have guessed from Linda's tone that she was thinking, "You cold-blooded old ruffian!" as she said sympathetically, "I'm sure Tom—if you'd spoken to him—"

"Couldn't attract his attention," Statlander objected. He spoke as though he had a real grievance. Why, she wondered, should that thwarted note creep into his voice? "Just what it is about the—accident?" Purposely Linda hesitated before the word. If he had suspicions, this might draw him.

"I wished to find out whether they put the fall down to apoplexy or sudden dizziness or," he added with what seemed to Linda a darkening emphasis, "to some other cause."

"Some other—surely you do not suppose—" Her voice trailed away weakly. Would he catch the suggestion? He did, and turned upon her

with unexpected savageness.

"That it was not an accident? Certainly, Mrs. Averill, it was an accident! There could be no other possible explanation. I would swear it was an accident!" His voice rose, urgently emphatic.

"Now why should he get so excited? I'm not disputing him!" thought Linda. As though he read her mind, his voice dropped and he went on with his usual heavy, rather indifferent manner.

"You can take it for granted, Mrs. Averill, that Mr. Peabody went out on the balcony for air. The night was oppressively sultry. I only meant that he must have been actually leaning against the railing when he lost his balance. It was sound enough before his fall."

"Why, Mr. Statlander!" cried Linda in honest astonishment. "When were you on the balcony?"

FOR the first time she saw an indication of the sudden black fury which Tom had witnessed on the golf links. His face became a deep, mottled purple. Caught up unexpectedly, he stuttered like a boy, yet she felt that his rage was directed largely against himself. He was furious at being taken unawares and betrayed out of his self-elected position of authority.

"Why—why—" He mopped a brow, grown suddenly wet. "Appalling! But still, isn't it? Now he was more controlled but she did not like the lurking gleam in his eye. Suddenly she shivered, if Tom were right—if one of their guests were a homicidal maniac—After all, nothing infuriated such a man more than an affront to his pride. He had been so comfortably pontifical over his superior medical knowledge, his criticism of the behavior of others. Now he was on the defensive and knew that she knew it. For the first time she was actually afraid, alone there in her peaceful garden, with this dark, strange, angry man who spoke so politely enough but looked at her as though he could willingly kill her.

"No wonder you ask, Mrs. Averill. I must confess to having made myself rather too much at home last night." How he hated it, this need for apology! "It was, as we said, hot. Very hot. It occurred to me that there might be more breeze on the other side of the house. I would not for a moment have you think I was displeased with my quarters—after all, I understand that Mr. Peabody was the older man and a relative—"

"But you're furious that he had the better room—that's 'interference'!" thought Linda. "After returning from the dance I found sleep impossible. I had heard you say the room opposite me was empty—"

"Yes, Mrs. Averill, I did not know it was forbidden—"

"Oh, sorry!" She managed to preserve her casual, idle air. "No—of course not. I thought if you had looked at it you could tell me if you found anything of interest. Everyone else seemed so busy with me and elsewhere—"

HE studied her face narrowly and then seemed to absolve her of any ulterior motive.

"Well," he said gruffly, "I was interested in the scene of the—accident." Was it true or did Linda imagine a hesitation like her own? "I stayed behind the others and looked about a little."

"Was it you who so thoughtfully put back the upper railing?" She felt the form of her question should disarm him but again he studied her closely.

"Was the railing put back?" he countered.

She nodded.

"Perhaps I did it. I really do not remember. I went on the balcony and might have absentmindedly straightened anything that was amiss."

Why was he suddenly so cagey, Linda reflected. Either he did or he didn't, and if it happened as he suggested, then there was surely no reason to evade the question. She continued her attack.

"Did you find anything else of interest?"

"Nothing!"

The answer came promptly. No hedging, none of the annoyance he had shown previously. It was almost as if he expected the question and was prepared with a flat negative. "Trippingly on the tongue," thought Linda. "Now why were you so ready with that? 'Nothing!' Why not look surprised and ask what I expected he might find?"

She laughed—an inane little sound that was meant to preserve her reputation as the brainless wife of his business associate.

"I'm sure I don't know what you could find! Cousin Amos was a tidy sort of person, anyhow—and if you think he just stepped out for air—"

"I'm sure of it, Mrs. Averill," he interrupted earnestly.

"And sort of leaned, or fell, against the railing?"

"That's what happened. I'm as confident of it as if—" he stopped suddenly.

"As if you'd been there," she finished, still with that vaguely indefinite air. Before he could speak—and she heard his quick-drawn breath—she went on with every nerve tense and watchful. "Just think, Mr. Statlander, if you'd been—oh, half an hour later when you said it was getting light when you opened the nursery door and this must have happened soon after—you'd have seen Cousin Amos and perhaps could have saved him!"

She lifted clear, unclouded eyes to his face and saw that again a quick perspiration had broken out and was being hastily wiped away.

"Yes—yes—I might—" he gasped and turned with more open pleasure than she would have thought he could express to greet his host, coming with long strides across the soft carpet of the lawn.

(To Be Continued)

SUCCESSOR TO "CASEY JONES" IS PENSIONED

Dad Norton, Engineer
On I. C., Retired
After 49 Years

Memphis, Dec. 12.—(AP)—The engineer who took Casey Jones' train to the end of its run and then got his job after Casey made that "farewell trip to the promised land" has quit railroading. He is H. A. (Dad) Norton and was a "hoghead"—roundhouse vernacular for engineer—for 49 years before the Illinois Central retired him. He is 72 now and took a fast train on the Memphis-Canton, Miss., run—the Casey Jones run—for 32 years.

Everybody on the line knows him. He's the engineer whose train was stolen by bandits in 1904. A wildcat jumped into his cab once from a low tree and a Negro fireman shot the beast.

Dad was a young man when Casey Jones made the crack hoghead of the "C. Jones" real name was John Luther Jones. They called him Casey after Cayce, Ky., where he once worked.

Story of Last Run
The caller called Casey before dawn the morning of March 31, 1906. His engine was brought from the roundhouse and Casey took his orders, tucked them in his jumper and climbed aboard. His train was Number 1 of the Chicago-New Orleans line and his job was to get it to Canton on time.

Casey checked his steam, glanced at his watch and eased back the throttle. Two short blasts from his whistle, a clanging of his bell and he was away on his last run, a trip that made him immortal because folks still sing his elegy.

There were only green lights ahead because Number 1 had the mail. The engine panted through the yards to the Mississippi line before Casey tugged the throttle back to his stomach and hit his Cannon Ball schedule.

The limited was across the line before he pulled down his whistle cord for the first "Casey call" of the trip—three short and then a long, low whine.

Hit Open Switch
Casey was pulling into Vaughn when his train hit an open switch and plowed into a freight car. He shoved in his throttle, jerked on his brakes and stuck with his engine.

They found him scalded by steam and with a bolt from the wreckage in his neck. His widow was notified. She still lives at Jackson, Tenn.

Dad Norton was sent to Vaughn to pick up Casey's train and take it to Canton. Then the road gave him the run.

That was 32 years ago and now Dad is through—pensioned. After

all 49 years is a long time to railroad.

The Funniest Sayings of ABE MARTIN

As Selected by
George Ade

Postal Department For 3-Cent Stamps

Washington, Dec. 10.—(AP)—The Postoffice Department still believes the three-cent stamp is a money maker.

Appearing before the House Appropriations sub-committee considering the annual supply bill for the Treasury-Postoffice Departments, Postmaster General Brown said, however, the experts were a little off in their estimates on what the three-cent rate on first class mail would yield.

The Postoffice figured it would yield an additional \$130,000,000 during the present fiscal year. The year won't be over until next June 30 but General Brown told Chairman Byrnes:

"If we had the 2-cent rate, we would be \$94,000,000 short."

He explained that this estimate was on the basis of returns already in and that he meant the three-cent rate would yield about \$104,000,000 more, all things considered, than would have been returned if the two-cent stamp were still the motive power for the average letter.

The Postmaster General told the committee that the gross deficit this year would probably be about \$135,000,000, with a net deficit of about \$80,000,000 for "purely postal operations."

SESSION OF SORROW

The regular meeting of the Dixon lodge of Elks will be held this evening at 7:30 at the club house. A session of sorrow will be conducted for departed brothers.

GYRON MEET TONIGHT

The Dixon Gyro club will meet this evening at 6:30 at the Dixon Municipal Airport. Grill for their regular weekly dinner and business meeting.

TO TELL OF DUDE RANCH

Miss Esther Barton, principal of the C. Smith school, will tell members of the Kiwanis club something of her experiences on a western dude ranch, at the regular luncheon and business meeting Tuesday noon. Misses Helen Finney and Mayme Schielebein will be heard in special vocal numbers.

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Senate Democrats Stop Appointments

Washington, Dec. 12.—(AP)—Senate Democrats have indicated that there would be no relaxation in their rigid ban on confirmation of any major nominations before March 4 which would permit approval of Walter Newton, Executive Secretary to President Hoover for a place on the Circuit Court bench.

The President is desirous of naming Newton, a former member of the House from Minnesota, to a vacancy in the Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals, which district includes Newton's home state of Minnesota.

But the Senate Democrats believe it unwise to make any exceptions and it is very doubtful if Mr. Newton permits his name to be presented.

"So rigid is the Democratic prohibition against either Hoover appointments that it seems certain to hold also for Democratic nominations, including the recess appointments by Mr. Hoover, of Atlee Pomeroy to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and Charles Crisp of Georgia, to the Tariff Commission.

The door is closed until President-elect Roosevelt comes in and makes his own choices.

MOTORIZED MANEUVERS

PARIS—The military maneuvers of the French army this year were almost entirely motorized. Tests were recently made to see just how quickly a motorized army could rally its forces to check a rapidly advancing army. Experiments were made to test the usefulness of an autogiro as an auxiliary to regular fighting planes in aerial warfare.

The Senate has set as a court of impeachment ten times since formation of the U. S. Constitution.

Pinky Kerr says that th' way t' beat street cars is t' git on th' hind end o' one that's crowded an' then don't change your expression. No-buddy is ever ready for company.

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MAJOR LEAGUES WILL MEET THIS WEEK IN N. YORK

Many Problems To Come Before Owners Of Major Teams

New York, Dec. 12.—(AP).—Baseball goes into the clinic for its annual over-hauling this week and the treatment, it would appear, will have to be a trifle more severe than usual.

Never in recent years, at least, have big league magnates been confronted with so many serious problems, all directly associated with an economic situation that struck sharply at attendance and receipts last season and forced not a few to look for the red ink when they balanced their books for the year.

The club owners' ingenuity will be directed to cutting expenses all along the line and, at the same time to stirring up new interest in the game so that the customers who strayed from the fold last season will return in greater and even greater numbers.

While the owners discuss player and salary limits, radio broadcasting, world series tickets, admission prices and the condition of the minors, rival managers will take their stand in hotel lobbies, ready to trade at the drop of cold cash or a much-sought-after player or two.

All Willing To Trade
With the single exception of the world champion New York Yankees, every club in the majors is prepared to shift players if suitable terms can be arranged.

The Yankees, too, might like to do business but there's small chance that rival managers will find it expedient to approach Joe McCarthy. Of course, if Joe should happen to decide to toss Babe Ruth, Lefty Gomez or Red Ruffing on the auction block, a bidder or two conceivably might turn up.

Player salaries seem due for a neat shuffling although any suggestion that a club salary limit be established probably will be voted down. The player limit of 23 probably will be reduced still further, either by the inclusion of coaches in the list of active players, or by cutting the maximum to 22 or 21. Another suggestion would make the player limit effective May 15 instead of June 15.

Radio Up To Owners
Stump sentiment also has developed toward the shortening of the costly spring training season. The old argument over radio broadcasting probably will be renewed but this matter probably will be left to the discretion of the individual clubs, as at present.

There may be some talk of reducing admission prices although it is understood that the majority still took the position that since prices were not boosted in boom times there was no reason for lowering them now.

The Yankees were expected to ask that the world series ticket selling system be revised so that fans may buy single tickets. The present system provides for the purchase of series tickets in sets of three only.

The National League will hold its annual meeting tomorrow, the American on Wednesday and both convene in joint session Thursday. The International League will beat their major league brethren to the gun by holding a special session today when the tangled affairs of the Jersey City club will be aired.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

So they smote him, and his sons, and all his people, until there was none left him alone; and they possessed his hand.—Numbers 21:25.

It is the right of war for conquerors to treat those whom they have conquered according to their pleasure.—Caesar.

Sea Queen Ends Maiden Trip To U. S. With Hero Crew



Majestically sweeping down New York harbor was the new Italian Conte de Savoia when the above view was taken and she gave little indication of the ill-luck and the heroics which accompanied her maiden voyage from Genoa. But mid-way at sea, with the waves splashing hard at her new surfaces, a discharge valve on the port side generator broke. Lights went out. Passengers hurried to the decks. The big liner was halted and then Gennaro Amatrudo (lower left) volunteered to go over the side and repair the damage. Passengers cheered as he worked in the night's blackness to equip the liner for the remainder of her voyage. Captain Antonia Lena (upper right) is skipped of the new liner which is equipped with a gyro-stabilizer to eliminate the ship's roll.

BETHEL CHURCH CROWDED: REV. JAMES SCORES

Unusual Interest Is Being Shown In Re- vival Meetings

Bethel U. E. church was packed to capacity last night to hear Evangelist Harry A. James deliver his "Red Hot" sermon on the ten commandments.

The evangelist spoke with more than usual force last night as he delivered in rapid fire fashion, stopping only occasionally to mop the perspiration from his brow as he gave to the audience what he called the introduction to the revivals he will preach during the coming week.

Rev. James will begin Tuesday night with the second commandment and continue with the commandments each evening until through with all ten.

Many after seeing last night's audience and hearing the first sermon on the commandments predict that Bethel church will not be able to accommodate the crowd on Tuesday night.

Rev. James spoke very favorably in behalf of the Salvation Army and urged the people to give to this worthy cause when given an opportunity this week. At the morning service the fine audience voted in favor of backing Rev. James in his campaign through the Christmas season.

Rev. James goes from here to Lebanon, Pa., for a union campaign with eight churches cooperating. Other places also are waiting for him but he says: "I'm in Dixon to stay until God tells me to move on."

Results are already being seen as people come seeking salvation without an invitation being given and older church people are saying "This is the kind of revival we

used to have at campmeeting years ago."

Rev. James conducts a prayer meeting in the church each week day at 2:30 except Saturday and Monday. Prayer meeting also at 7 o'clock each evening.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By The Associated Press

ILLINOIS:

CHICAGO—Eighteen-year-old Samuel Cusumano had ambitions to become an amateur radio announcer. He bought a microphone and other paraphernalia to set up in his home. Then he called in his friends. As he was hooking it up he moaned and fell to the floor. He had been electrocuted.

CHICAGO—Sixty-eight relatives gathered to help Mrs. Matilda Steiger celebrate her 105th birthday anniversary at the home of a daughter in suburban Park Ridge. In the representatives of five generations present were three daughters, twelve grandchildren, 29 great grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—The William A. Rogers scholarship awarded by Yale University has gone to an Illinois student. He is Benjamin Franklin Hoppes of Bloomington.

CHICAGO—Chief of Detectives William Schoemaker was sure Frank Pizzia, 19, knew about the slaying a year ago of Detective James J. Caplis. He questioned him for hours but Pizzia held out, he said. Finally he took Pizzia out to a sumptuous duck dinner, came cigars and coffee—also a question about the killing. With his appetite appeased, Schoemaker said Pizzia told him he was "with the gang" that night and would sign a confession.

ROCKFORD—The Rockford-Beloit highway claimed the life of Robert Duce of Freeport, Beloit College student, in an automobile accident. Two other men were seriously injured.

WAUCONDA—Herman Schers, a farmer, said a bandit threatened to "smash" his baby's head if he wouldn't give him money. Schers said the man forced him to drive to his landlord's home where he knocked the latter's wife, Mrs. Herman Haddock, unconscious with his gun and robbed her of \$3.

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CHICAGO—Sometimes a broken leg isn't as painful as it might seem. Police rushed to the south side to convey John Mackolia, 45, to a hospital after receiving reports he had suffered a broken leg in a fall on the ice. He had but he spurned their offer. It was a wooden leg.

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